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1,224 RESCUED AFTER LINER GOES DOWN

MILO EGGERS IN SEATTLE AGAIN IS IN CUSTODY

He, His Wife and Sister and Three Others Questioned About Safe Robberies

Police Say They Saw Women in Auto While Theatre Safe Was Being Attacked

Seattle, Oct. 26.—Milo Eggers, a quieted several weeks ago in Victoria, B.C., of liquor piracy charges, his wife, Dorothy, a woman said by police to be his sister, Mrs. Erna Brown, two other men and a woman, were arrested by police detectives here early today for questioning in connection with a series of safe robberies.

Four detectives planted themselves around an apartment house here last night after locating a small automobile seen by police in front of the Bagdad Theatre early last Monday morning shortly before it was discovered efforts had been made to drill the theatre safe.

The automobile is said to have been registered under the name of Erna Brown.

WOMEN IDENTIFIED

Police Sergeant K. C. McLennan and Patrolman McMillan are said to have identified Mrs. Eggers as one of the women they had spoken to in the car in front of the theatre. The woman said to be Mrs. Erna Brown, who gave the name of Mrs. P. K. Kelly when arrested to-day, is declared by the officers to have been the other woman in the car.

ESCAPE DESCRIBED

While the two officers were conversing with the women they are said to have blown the automobile horn and three men rushed out of the theatre and leaped into the car as it dashed away before the astonished policemen could act. The policemen fired a number of shots, none of which took effect. They then entered the theatre and found the safe partly drilled.

This date-tive to-day arrested Geo. Graham, alias Wilson, a woman who gave her name as "Mrs. Mary Wilson," P. K. Kelly and "Mrs. P. K. Kelly," outside the Eggers apartment. Later they entered the apartment and arrested Milo Eggers and his wife.

FOUR OTHER ROBBERIES

Four other safe robberies were reported to the police Monday, and efforts are being made to connect them with the attempted robbery of the theatre's strongbox.

SAN FRANCISCO AFFAIR

Captain of Police Detectives W. N. Kent asserted the finding of the pepper and ammonia was significant inasmuch as pepper and ammonia were used in the escape of Milo Eggers from the custody of a United States marshal at San Francisco two years ago. Arie Eggers was killed in the affair. The Eggers brothers were arrested on a rum-running charge.

SCHWARTZBARD IS ACQUITTED

Paris, Oct. 26.—Samuel Schwartzbard, young Jewish watchmaker, who assassinated General Simon Petlura, Ukrainian separatist leader, last year to avenge the Ukrainian pogroms, was acquitted here late to-day.

Ten Bandits in Russia Executed

Moscow, Oct. 26.—Ten men, members of a group of bandits which had terrorized the population of Briansk for a long time, were executed this morning. The men were convicted of having held up trains and banks and murdered several officials. They were captured by secret police.

LEADER ELECTED

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—E. A. Moore was elected president of Division 1, Vancouver Liberal Association, last night.

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TWO OF THE LEADERS IN NEW THRONE CONTEST IN ROUMANIA



PREMIER ION BRATIANO whose government means to keep Ex-Crown Prince Carol out of Rumania.

GENERAL AVERESCU former Premier, who is to defend M. Manolescu when he is tried by a court-martial as one of the chief plotters.

Premier Starts For Ottawa To Lay B.C. View Before Parley

Premier Maclean left here for Ottawa to-day to represent British Columbia at the Interprovincial Conference in Ottawa, after arranging for the management of Government business during his absence.

PREMIER TO HEAR SUTTON'S SCHEME FOR NEW RAILWAY

Noted Soldier of Fortune to Explain Plans For Peace River Development

Chang Tso Lin, Manchurian War Lord, Backing Purchase of P.G.E.? Details of gigantic and almost bewildering railway building plans in northern British Columbia will be explained to Premier Maclean in Vancouver Thursday morning by General F. A. Sutton, former military adviser of Chang Tso Lin and now an investor in this Province.

The Premier agreed to meet General Sutton in Vancouver before he leaves on Thursday night for Ottawa to attend the Interprovincial Conference. The General is anxious to tell Dr. Maclean about the scheme of Peace River development which he evolved during a recent tour of the North. It is understood here he does not ask for Government financial assistance, but requires land grants to promote his plan, which involves the extension of (Concluded on page 5)

Ruth Elder Is Ill At Lisbon

Aviatix Must Rest Before Traveling to Paris For Brief Visit

Lisbon, Oct. 26.—Ruth Elder, Florida aviatix, is suffering from influenza and has taken to bed. She is in need of complete rest and her departure from here for Madrid, en route to Paris, has been postponed indefinitely.

MAYOR OF CHICAGO INVITED TO BRITAIN

Chicago, Oct. 26.—There has come a lull in the storm, born of Mayor William Hale Thompson's efforts to rid the schools and Public Library of Chicago of what he considers pro-British and anti-American.

Thompson Delays Answer Until He Discovers if Duties Will Permit Visit

Developments which preceded the sudden calm included an invitation to Mayor Thompson to visit Great Britain, offered from Hamilton, Ont., and other cities to buy the thousands of discarded volumes of the Public Library; the mayor's announcement that no books were to be burned at this time, and new charges that pro-British and anti-German texts were being used in Milwaukee.

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MEASURES AGAINST CAROL'S ARRIVAL IN ROUMANIA BY PLANE

Bratiano Government Has Borders Guarded by Bodies of Troops

Ministry Firmly Resolved Ex-Crown Prince Will Not Seize Throne

London, Oct. 26.—The Preparations of Premier Bratiano of Rumania to thwart any possible attempt of former Crown Prince Carol to seize the throne from his six-year-old son, King Michael, are the most thorough possible, say reports reaching here.

The frontiers are said never to have been more closely guarded, and all possible measures have been taken to prevent Carol from entering the country.

All telegraph and telephone communications between Rumania and other countries have been cut off by Government orders, according to a report from Belgrade.

BY AEROPLANE

Premier Bratiano is said to expect Carol will try to cross into Rumania by aeroplane, if he actually makes an attempt to strike a personal blow for power. This contingency has been provided for as far as possible.

Carol's reported attempt has stirred all of Europe and events in Rumania are being watched with anxiety.

Bucharest, Rumania, Oct. 26.—At the least sign of opposition against the Government, the Bratiano Ministry was ready to-day to arrest the leaders and proclaim a state of siege throughout Rumania.

Troops were ordered to occupy all Government buildings, carrying out the state of martial law proclaimed throughout the country upon discovery of the plot to restore former Crown Prince Carol to the throne, which he renounced in 1925 when he fled to Paris with Magda Lupescu.

BITTER CONTEST

The country is seething with excitement as the Government and Opposition parties line up for what is expected to be a bitter contest for supremacy.

Now will demand from all political groups in Parliament a declaration of their attitude toward the present situation. The Opposition leaders have summoned their members to appear in full strength. The People's Party, of which M. Manolescu, whose arrest led to a member, intends interpreting the Government, considering his arrest unwarranted.

COURTMARTIAL ARRANGED

M. Manolescu, who is now in the military prison at Jilava, will be court-martialed within a few days. General Averescu is expected to defend his former Cabinet Minister. It is said Manolescu will be accused of high treason.

U.S. Airship Trip to Ottawa Cancelled

Washington, Oct. 26.—(Canadian Press).—Lack of an adequate and experienced landing crew at Ottawa caused the United States Navy Department to-day to abandon the proposed flight of the dirigible Los Angeles to Canada next Saturday.

Trial at Nanaimo Proceeds Slowly

Nanaimo, Oct. 26.—The trial of Edward Joseph Semet, David and Jacob George, three West Coast Indians charged with having murdered Edward Ainslie Beach at Tofino on or about August 29 last, was continued in the assize court here this morning when evidence for the prosecution was submitted in continuation of yesterday's proceedings. Four witnesses were heard at this morning's session of the court, but nothing of a sensational nature was produced, the proceedings being slow owing to the fact that an interpreter had to be used for every witness.

Quebec Now Has Prosperous Times

Quebec, Oct. 26.—There is practically no unemployment in Quebec Province, according to Louis Guyon, Deputy Minister of Labor.

"Never before has the province been through such an era of prosperity, judging by the demand for labor," he stated to-day.

Old Age Pensions Soon in Yukon Area

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—Percy Reid, Gold Commissioner of the Yukon Territory, is expected in Ottawa within the next few days. He will take up with the Minister of Labor, Hon. Peter Hoeness, the question of applying the old age pension legislation in the Yukon.

"Whatever may be said against old age pensions and the fifty-fifty plan as between Federal and Provincial contributions," said Mr. Hoeness to-day, "the fact remains that the old people of British Columbia are now receiving their cheques and that is highly important."

CITY CLEARS WAY FOR START ON ELEVATOR

Panama Pacific to Commence Preliminary Work With Own Funds

Conference Called by Mayor Penderay Brings Unanimity Into Discussion

An immediate start at Ogden Point on the clearing, excavation and piling for the elevator of the Panama Pacific Grain Terminal Limited will be made as soon as a decision reached between the city and the grain company this morning can be formally ratified.

The preliminary work will be done by the grain company at their own expense and at their own risk, waiving permission by the city to proceed as a commitment in any form, stated Mayor Penderay after the conference.

The decision was reached at a conference called at the City Hall this morning by Mayor J. C. Penderay, who explained the willingness of the city to see a start made on the work if the Panama Pacific Grain Terminal Limited would agree to a reservation of city rights in advance of the approval of final plans by the city's engineers.

Present at the conference were J. A. Mooney, president, and D. S. Tait, solicitor, for the Panama Pacific, and Mayor Penderay, Aldermen J. B. Clearhue, H. S. Pringle and H. B. Shandley for the city.

Panama Pacific officers outlined their anxiety to make a start on the preliminary work so that when final plans were approved for the superstructure there would be no delay in pushing the work along to a speedy completion.

The city's legal advisers stressed the fact that a start of any kind in advance of the approval of the final plans might be taken as a commitment to the entire contract unless this point was expressly waived. After close discussion on the issue for a while a settlement was reached whereby the work is to proceed, and will be inspected by C. D. Howe & Company for (Concluded on page 5)

Vancover Robber Escapes With \$55

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—An armed unmasked bandit held up Miss Dorothy Cant in the Florence Nightingale Confectionery Store on Granville Street here at 10:25 last night, and looted the cash register of \$55.

PLUCKY LITTLE BOY HIT BY CAR JUST WON'T CRY

Donald Scott, aged four, was struck down by an automobile when he was crossing Hillside Avenue, near Blackwood Street, this morning. He was with his little sister, Jean, seven, when W. E. Salter drove his car along the street and failed to stop in time to avoid the little boy, who ran in front of him.

But Donald wouldn't cry. With his head all smeared with blood, his ear cut and his little hands and legs scratched and bruised from his fall, Donald hit his lip.

Although sobs shook him, he would not cry.

He was rushed to police headquarters where Constable Robert Sedgwick and Sergeant John McLennan tended to him.

His little sister stood beside the long first aid table while they waited for the arrival of Dr. D. M. Baillie, who found the lad suffering severely from pain but not seriously hurt.

Mrs. Scott came to the station and found her little boy moaning a little but with brave dry eyes.

He was taken to the Jubilee Hospital wrapped in big grey blankets from police headquarters.

NEW PLAN TO BRING B.C. THOUSANDS OF CITIZENS ANNOUNCED

British Farmers and Fishermen to Come if White Star Line's Scheme Succeeds

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—Details of a scheme to bring thousands of British Isles to British Columbia as settlers will be laid before the Provincial Government shortly by H. Robbins, an official of the London office of the White Star Steamship Line, and Leo S. Tobin, passenger manager of the Canadian service of the company at Montreal.

After a Canadian tour undertaken for the purpose of investigating the possibilities offered by various sections of the country for the absorption of a great flow of British immigrants, the two White Star officials have concluded British Columbia perhaps in a greater degree than other provinces is suited to their plans.

"We can bring British Columbia all the immigrants she wants," said Mr. Tobin.

"Our tour through this Province, during which we talked with agriculturists and fishing interests, has shown us unmistakably there is a demand for men in both the farming and fishing industries, and we can fill that demand with the type of immigrant that will prove desirable. The need for labor would be further emphasized if the Department of Fisheries would cancel all fishing licenses to Orientals, thereby providing thousands of jobs for British fishermen here. The department is considering this." (Concluded on page 5)

PRICE IN HUNTING FIELD

Melton Mowbray, Eng. Oct. 26.—Changing into his hunting clothes while aboard an express train speeded from London, the Prince of Wales arrived here to-day and started out with the famous Belvoir hounds for his first fox hunt of the season.

HURRIEDLY LEAVES U.S. FOR NORWAY; ROALD AMUNDSEN

New York, Oct. 26.—Leaving behind him a cancelled lecture tour and an Explorers' Club medal that was to have been awarded him at a dinner in his honor Saturday evening, Captain Roald Amundsen, noted polar explorer, is at sea today bound for Norway. When he left here yesterday he gave no explanation of his hasty departure.

"Am sailing to-day," he telegraphed officials of the club, "Sorry I can't be with you."

Major-General A. W. Greeley of the United States army and several famous explorers were on the speakers' list for the dinner.

Music, Speeches At Big Liberal Meeting To-night

The programme of business at to-night's annual meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association will be carried through without any unnecessary delays, and the speeches will be short, Charles J. V. Spratt, president of the Association, announced this afternoon.

The meeting will start at 8 p.m., in the Sons of Canada auditorium, View and Blanchard Streets.

Four cabinet ministers will be among the speakers. Officers for the year will be elected.

There will be a concert dance orchestra present to play music as the crowd is gathering. The orchestra will play for dancing from 10 p.m. until 1 a.m., Charles Bishop, secretary, announced.

THIRTY-FOUR ARE MISSING AT SEA AS SHIPS SEARCH

Splendid Rescue Work of Group of Vessels Cheats Atlantic of Many Victims After Foundering of Italian Steamship Principessa Mafalda Off Coast of Brazil; Explosion and Breaking of Propeller Shaft Said to Have Torn Great Hole in Liner's Side

Montevideo, Oct. 26.—Only thirty-four of the 1,258 persons who were aboard the steamship Principessa Mafalda were missing late to-day, according to a message received here by the local agency of the Navigazione Generale Italiana.

The total rescued was given 1,224 in this message, with the group saved by the various rescue ships as follows: Formosa, 450; Athena, 450; Empire Star 302; Rosetti 122.

The Rosetti had not been mentioned in previous messages, which told of 300 rescued by the British steamship Avalona. The variation in the number saved by the above ships as compared with previous dispatches may be due to the transferring of rescued passengers from rescue ships.

The cause of the sinking, as given in the message received here, was the collision of the ship with a floating hulk.

New Flag Bill In South Africa Given Approval

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\$2,500 AWARD TO BOY OF NINE

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—Nine-year-old Stanley Erickson, has been awarded \$2,500 damages against his elder brother, Eric Erickson, by Mr. Justice Morrison in the Supreme Court here. The brothers reside at 2782 Egon Street.

The award is to compensate the boy for the loss of an eye, which was injured on October 21, 1926, when Eric's automobile, in which Stanley was a passenger, collided with a delivery truck. Thrown against the windshield, the plaintiff received a fragment of glass in his right eye.

Action on his behalf was instituted by the father, Alex. Erickson. The defendant was insured against the accident.

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Men Rescued From Pitt River

Five Have Narrow Escape From Death When Their Dugout Upset

New Westminster, Oct. 26.—Rescued after clinging to logs and deadheads for about forty minutes, five men narrowly escaped death in the icy waters of the Little Pitt River.

There being no wharf at the head of Pitt Lake, the passengers and cargo boat New Delta has to anchor in a cove across from the mouth of the Little Pitt and her loads have to be lightered in a big dugout to the sand bank.

While Captain William Armstrong, W. A. Bruner, Fred Reed and a Vancouver prospector named Roach were on their way in the dugout to the vessel, the dugout was upset by a wave where the rain swollen Little Pitt and the rising water of the lake cause a serious tide rip.

Thrown into the water, the dugout occupants clung to what ever support they could find, but Captain Armstrong had to swim nearly 150 yards to a deadhead.

Salvage men hurried to the scene in his canoe, but it also was overturned and he had to seek a log to save himself.

Rescues were finally made by Capt. Gardner in his canoe.

POINTING OF TOY REVOLVER BRINGS FINE IN QUEBEC

Hull, Que., Oct. 26.—Judge Roland Miller here is believed to have created a legal precedent when he interpreted article 122 of the Criminal Code, which prohibits the pointing of a firearm, as also signifying any "toy gun or instrument which has the appearance of a real firearm."

Two pointing a toy revolver at a girl, Jack McCullagh, Hull youth, was fined \$10 and costs.

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Funeral Notice

The funeral of the late Charles Weller will take place to-morrow, Thursday, the 27th inst., at 2:00 p.m. from B.C. Funeral Chapel, 1100-1102 Douglas Street, hence to Royal Oak Cemetery. Members of Far West-Victoria Lodge No. 1 are requested to attend. Visiting Brothers invited.

J. M. UTTERIDGE, C.C.
A. G. H. HARDING, R.R.S.

REGISTER NOW

For Municipal Voters' List 1927-28

All non-property owners, whether male or female, who desire to qualify as voters at the next Municipal election, must file the necessary declaration with the City Clerk, City Hall, not later than 5 o'clock p.m., on the 31st day of October, 1927.

For the convenience of those unable to register during ordinary office hours, the City Clerk's Office is being kept open each evening this week between the hours of 7 and 9.

M. F. HUNTER, City Clerk.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C., October 22, 1927.

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Del Monte Prunes, extra large, per pkt.	25c
Fresh Ginger Snaps, per lb.	15c
Fresh Roasted Coffee, per lb.	45c
Shredded Wheat Biscuits, 2 pkts.	25c
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YOUNG VIOLINISTS DELIGHT AUDIENCE

Excellent Recital by Elenor Agnew and Margaret Wilson

The recital last evening at the Centennial Church was of an exceedingly interesting and artistic character, and those who were present will not soon forget the occasion. The fact that two violinists appear in concert together is in itself a rare occurrence, and quite delightful if proved. And, again, it is worthy of note that the gifted performers are musical products and natives of this country.

Both hail from the musical centre of Saskatchewan, and can rest assured that Victoria will greet them with open arms if they should come this way again.

The two young players, Elenor Agnew and Margaret Wilson, are exceptionally talented, and have been well schooled. Not only do they bid fair to bring to themselves high future honors, but already are they a credit to the country of their birth.

Both are equally well equipped technically, and both possess natural musical instincts. Their programme, that would tax the skill and achievement of their adults, is splendidly constructed, and embraced those works that are identified with the highest in violinistic literature.

Their playing made an instant appeal; their reception was most flattering, and much enthusiasm prevailed throughout the evening. From the control, it must be said, too, that in her three last solo numbers (a) "Song of India" (Rimsky-Korsakov), (b) "Butterfly" (Debussy), most delightfully rendered, and (c) "Waltz" (Schubert), the young players were in complete command.

The "Ballade de Polonoise" (Vieuxtemps), by the same player, was another fine accomplishment. Her tone is quite delightful.

Margaret Wilson followed the Handel Sonata with the Mendelssohn concerto in E minor. This was given in brilliant fashion, unfailing in all the required technical resources, and was accomplished without apparent effort. Perhaps at times there was a touch of impetuosity, but as time goes on this no doubt will be assimilated into the restraint and mellowness that come in the advance of years.

The opening movement with its excellently played cadenza was finely achieved, and she, too, met with tremendous applause.

Her other numbers, Reger's characteristic "Pavane," and Hubay's "Heure Kati," were quite musically played and with distinct charm. Both young artists were recalled to the platform on the conclusion of their respective numbers, giving on each occasion augmented numbers.

The concluding number, Bach's famous concerto in D minor for two violins and piano, was of pure delight. The two violins moved along in perfect accord, each phase being clearly enunciated and with consummate skill and judgment. It was beautiful and confident in workmanship, revealing to a nicety the violinistic refinement of both the players. They received tremendous rounds of applause at its conclusion.

The accompanist, Millicent Lusk, was sympathetically adequate and thoroughly supporting throughout. She is an accomplished pianist.

A feature of the evening was the appearance of Walter Richard, a noted English organist, who had consented to give three organ numbers during the interval. He gave the "Andante" from Haydn's fourth symphony, the "Minuet in G" (Beethoven), and Lemmen's "March Triumphant." Mr. Richard is a master of his instrument and an excellent disciple of the old-established, famous and sound English organ school. His treatment of the Andante and the Minuet were skilful, effective and musical, and gave infinite pleasure.

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For the Matron and Her "Missy" Daughter

Are You Going to the Press Club Dance?

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A SPECIAL purchase came just in time to offer these Beautiful New Coats to Thursday shoppers in our month-end Clearance Sale. The majority are dressy styles in the approved straight line and flared front styles.

THE fabrics are rich, soft piles, suede finished and striking sports novelties, richly trimmed, with collar and cuffs of fine fur. The color range is very attractive and includes the newest blues and browns as well as black.

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To-morrow—Thursday

The Smartest, the Cleverest, the Finest

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WOMAN SENTENCED TO DEATH APPEALS

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Mrs. Catherine Casler, the portly middle-aged woman who would rather die on the gallows than go to prison for life for murder, has had her wish deferred, at least for sixty days.

The woman who, if she is hanged, will be the first to be executed in Illinois yesterday was given a sixty-day stay of execution to enable her attorneys to carry an appeal to the Supreme Court.

Mrs. Casler was to have been

hanged last Friday, but was given a week's respite to allow the return to Chicago of Judge Philip L. Sullivan, the trial judge, who yesterday granted the new stay.

"I am very happy," said the bespectacled, bobbed-haired woman, "but if it is finally decided I must hang, I will trip to the gallows as lightly as though I were the best dressed woman in town on my way to church."

CABINET-MAKER KILLED

Mrs. Casler was convicted of having murdered William Lindstrom, a cabinet-maker, whose body was found last December far from his home.

Mrs. Lilian Fraser, with whom he lived, was arrested and she implicated Mrs. Casler and Loren Patrick, Mrs. Fraser and Patrick said Mrs. Casler had suggested they kill Lindstrom and collect a \$10,000 insurance policy. Patrick said he agreed to beat Lindstrom to death.

Patrick and Mrs. Fraser pleaded guilty and were given life sentences in the Joliet penitentiary. Mrs. Casler stood trial and was convicted.

A few days ago Patrick, from his prison cell, repudiated his testimony, which had helped convict Mrs. Casler, declaring Mrs. Fraser and he alone had planned the crime.

EARTH SHOCKS RECORDED

Potsdam, Germany, Oct. 25.—The seismograph at the Geodetic Institute here recorded a violent earthquake at 8 o'clock last evening; the shocks continuing until 9 o'clock.

"Don't forget Poppy Ball, Empress Hotel, November 10."

LARGER MARKETS IN GREAT BRITAIN FOR CANADIAN FARMERS

Hon. P. C. Larkin Lays Facts Before Old Country Importers and Wholesalers

Manchester, Oct. 26 (Canadian Press Cable).—Hon. P. C. Larkin, Canadian High Commissioner in London, presiding at a dinner given here last night by W. A. Wilson, Canadian agricultural produce marketing agent, to 250 guests representing importers, wholesalers and retailers in the north of England, said:

"What we ask the British people is not that they should pay higher prices for Canadian produce than other produce, nor that they should accept inferior goods because they come from Canada, but that they should give the Dominion preference where all things are equal. This we look for particularly among the wholesalers. It would mean an ever-increasing production in Canada of articles for the sustenance of Great Britain's 45,000,000 people."

CANADIAN DINNER

The menu was composed entirely of Canadian products, including British

Columbia salmon, Ontario beef, Montreal chicken, Canadian ice cream, corn, maple syrup and cigars.

Mr. Wilson referred to objections that were sometimes heard about irregularity in the supply of Canadian bacon in Great Britain and said a greater demand for bacon from the Dominion would remedy this.

A small hamper of a variety of Canadian produce was given to each of the guests at the dinner.

Home Brew Request Brings Refusal

Burton-upon-Trent, Eng., Oct. 26.—The ingenuity of a citizen of the United States in an effort to improve his home brew has been officially called to attention of Burton, with its twenty-one breweries, working day and night, where beer and ale have been made for more than 200 years.

A resident of Columbus, Ohio, wrote to the mayor here:

"Now, I ask you, in view of the fact that I live in dry America, to see some of your brewmaster friends and to kindly send me the recipe for making ale at home for home use only and not for sale."

The letter was read before the town council, and Councillor Rider, announced that he regretted the Columbus man was out of luck and he would have to be notified the recipe was a world copyright.

Oh, Poetry, what rhymes are committed in thy name

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OFFICERS NAMED BY DUNCAN TENNIS CLUB

With Increased Membership Outlook is Promising

Duncan, Oct. 26.—The annual general meeting of the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club was held in the agricultural office on Monday evening. The president, H. R. Punnett, in the chair. The financial statement was read and proved most satisfactory, and with the increased membership, the outlook is very promising. The club now has 200 members, of which 125 are active playing, the remaining being junior and non-playing.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to the tea committee for the excellent manner in which they had performed their arduous duties during the year, and also to the executive.

The question of the advisability of having more new courts was fully gone into, and finally left in the hands of the committee for arrangement. The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary presidents, C. H. Dickie, M.P., and G. F. Davis, M.P.P.; honorary vice-presidents, Dr. George H. H. Brown, M.D., and E. M. Dawson, Thomas; president, H. R. Punnett; vice-president, Colonel Talbot; secretary-treasurer, F. Hoey; committee, Messrs. J. F. Norris, H. W. Brown, Mrs. F. R. Gooding, Miss Dawson, Thomas and Miss K. Robertson.

DANCE

Arrangements for the annual dance given by the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club on Thanksgiving night are well in hand, with Charles Hunt's orchestra to supply the music, and the club's well deserved reputation for a fine supper a good time is assured to all who attend the dance on November 7 in the Agricultural Hall, Duncan. Mrs. Gooding and Miss K. Robertson are the supper committee. Mrs. H. R. Punnett is in charge of the supper room decorations, and Mrs. H. B. Hayward of the hall decorations.

Ladysmith

Ladysmith, Oct. 26.—Miss May Simpson has left for her home in Vancouver after spending the past week here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kerley spent the week-end in Victoria.

Inspector C. A. Stuart of Victoria paid a visit to the Central School this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs of Victoria have been spending a few days here with Mrs. Gibbs's mother, Mrs. Poore, Second Avenue.

Mrs. A. B. Atwood is spending a few days with her son, Jack, in Vancouver.

Mrs. P. E. D. Johnson of Oakland, California, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McKinnell and Mr. and Mrs. J. Patten have returned to their homes in Victoria after attending the funeral of their brother, the late H. Michie.

FINANCE PLANS TAKE SHAPE IN THE U.S.

Washington, Oct. 26.—The "pork barrel," the popular characterization of federal appropriations for local or regional projects, has taken on a new dimension in the eyes of Congress, and is being deemed to be empty for the next Congress.

This is indicated by the views emanating from the White House, which represent President Coolidge as seeking both the reduction of the national public debt and of taxes and the adherence of Congress to economy in government administration.

The President, while he is represented as feeling the Mississippi flood problem and other related projects must be given a place in the Government's budget, is understood to consider executive approval should be given only to such projects as are most urgent and where their need is deemed imperative.

Although the major needs of the country, such as the flood, will be given a place in the budget programme, experiments and proposals in general are expected to be submitted to a scrutiny of a close and careful kind before White House approval is granted.

TAX REDUCTION

A programme of \$400,000,000 tax reduction has been formulated by the United States Chamber of Commerce and is being distributed to its 1,500 member organizations for a referendum vote to determine its policy during the congressional deliberations on revenue legislation. The programme calls for repeal of the federal estate tax and the war excess levies and reduction of the corporate income taxes. The Government officials have placed the reduction estimate in the neighborhood of \$300,000,000.

Mr. Coolidge feels that if the members of Congress co-operate with him in watching expenditures carefully there can be a reduction of the taxes and a substantial cutting down of the debt despite the estimate of the Treasury which placed the surplus for next year short of what it has been in the past.

President also is said to feel the greatest boon to the people would be the wiping out of the national debt, and that if this were accomplished the country would be in a position to satisfy every reasonable request for funds for internal improvements that is made in any one year.

Schools Closed By Paralysis Cases

Moncton, N.B., Oct. 26.—Schools and churches in the entire Salisbury district, about fifteen miles from this city, have been closed by the health officials of the province as the result of an outbreak of infantile paralysis which has caused one death so far.

Break, break, break
Myaching bones, O' hui!
And I would that my tongue could utter
The thoughts that I think of you.

CONSUMERS FIGHT MOVE TO INCREASE TARIFF ON SUGAR

Beet Growers Now Also Want Protection For Their Industry

Ottawa, Oct. 25.—The Tariff Advisory Commission, to-day resumed hearing with an application presented to it by W. M. Thrasher of Saskatoon asking for a decrease in the preferential tariff on sugar (testing 86) from \$1.01 per hundredweight to forty cents and also for the abolition of the duties standard test of grading in the importation of sugar.

R. J. Deachman, representing the Consumers League of Canada appeared for Mr. Thrasher and E. A. Dabry for the Canadian Council of Agriculture, supported the application.

Opposing the request were C. H. Howson, president of the Dominion Sugar Company, Ltd. of Wallaceburg, Ont., and A. W. MacIntyre, vice-president of that company. Mr. MacIntyre entered a counter-application for an increase in tariff on refined sugar.

Mr. Thrasher's application for tariff reduction encountered much opposition and was met by arguments advanced by A. W. MacIntyre of the Dominion Sugar Company, Wallaceburg, Ont., and J. MacGregor Stewart of Halifax, N.S., who appeared for the five cane manufacturers—the Sugar, the St. Lawrence, the Atlantic, the Acadia, and the British Columbia Sugar Refineries.

Coupled with the appeal for tariff reduction was a request for the abolition of the "Dutch standard" of grading and testing sugar. This, it was brought out in Mr. Stewart's Brief, was a standard set by a commission of the government of Holland which graded sugar in accordance with the color of the manufactured article, from a dark brown to white. Canada, Japan and India were the only countries now adhering to the Dutch standard, it was brought out and Mr. Thrasher demanded its abolition on the ground that it was an arbitrary and artificial thing imposed for the purpose of restricting importation.

WEST INDIES TRADE TREATY INVOLVED

Canada's trade treaty with the West Indies came in for considerable discussion. Mr. Stewart maintained that a reduction in the preferential tariff with the West Indies—which could only come with the consent of both parties to the agreement—would have the effect of giving the British sugar exporters an advantage of 19 cents per hundredweight over the Canadian manufacturer inasmuch as the British preference was only 81 cents as compared with \$1.00 granted by Canada. With respect to the Dutch standard, Mr. Stewart took the ground that its abolition would result in the entry into the Canadian market of inferior bleached sugar from Central America, which would receive admittance under Section 135 of the tariff schedule as raw sugar. This would put the Canadian manufacturer at a grave disadvantage since the Central American sugar was a product of inferior labor conditions and a low standard of living, while the Canadian worker could not compete.

BET SUGAR GROWERS SEEK AID

Questioned by Chairman W. H. Moore regarding the advantage taken by the Canadian manufacturer of such labor conditions and the effect of living at the stage when the sugar was in the raw, and asked if the Canadian beet-grower was not as much entitled to protection against such conditions as the manufacturer of imported raw sugar, Mr. Stewart said that he was agreeable to give the beet grower and manufacturer protection against cheap labor but not to the extent of granting a bounty that might have the effect of putting another Canadian industry out of business.

Earlier in the day, Mr. MacIntyre had replied to the application of Mr. Thrasher and also submitted a request for increased protection for the Canadian sugar refiner.

Mr. Deachman claimed that on the basis of 1924 figures regarding the production of sugar in Canada when 1,154,448 pounds of raw sugar and 15,849,235 pounds of refined were imported, a virtual monopoly had been enjoyed by the Canadian Refiners. The Dutch standard which was a test made on the basis of color, he characterized as an artificial thing, imposed for the purpose of restricting importation.

Mr. Darby, supporting Mr. Deachman, objected to the West Indies trade treaty as it affects sugar, contending that the preference constituted a bonus granted by the Canadian consumers to the West Indian producers.

MANUFACTURERS DENY MONOPOLY

To the remark of the chairman, W. H. Moore, that the Canadian grain growers had received a preferential preference in flour which might be termed a bonus by the people of the West Indies to the prairie producers, Mr. Darby said that even with that taken into consideration, he was opposed to the principle of the preference.

Mr. MacIntyre read the reply of the Dominion Sugar Company and denied that there was a monopoly since Canadian prices for sugar were governed by those quoted in New York. He also produced figures to show that there was a wide margin per cwt. between these prices, the Canadian being lower than the American. He took the ground that the Canadian Refiners were fighting against the dumping in Canadian market of Cuban sugar grown and produced under inferior working conditions by people who had a lower standard of living than that of Canadian workers.

Sugar prices since 1913 had not increased in competition with other commodities nor with other elements entering into sugar refining.

Application for a government bounty to encourage the production of beet and stimulate the manufacture of beet sugar was made by T. C. Wood, district manager of Canadian Sugar Factories Limited, Redmont, Alta., opposing the request Mr. Deachman made for a reduction in the tariff. Mr. Wood declared that since 1926, due to lower world prices, coupled with a steady drop in tariff protection, production of Canadian beet sugar had steadily declined. In support of his appeal for a subsidy, the applicant cited the instance of Great Britain, a traditional home of free trade, where a large bounty was being established. This was resulting in a vast increase in the number of factories opening and an expansion of production. Mr. Wood reviewed the tariff changes in this country since 1922 and attributed to them the shrinkage of beet sugar production from 85,000,000 pounds in 1926 to 72,000,000 pounds in 1925.

Mr. Wood presented figures showing the results from a financial point of view of a contract entered into in 1925 with best growing farmers. In

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RADIO POLICE WORK

Washington, Oct. 26.—Radio as an international policeman has been suggested by the German delegates to the International Radio Conference here, who proposed that a wave be reserved for the exchange of criminal information among countries. The Germans say such a recommendation was made by the International Criminal Police Conference at Amsterdam last July.

TROOPS WITHDRAWN

Mayence, Germany, Oct. 26.—Withdrawal of French troops from the Rhineland which is destined to reduce the force of occupation by 10,000 men, continued yesterday when two battalions left Trier for Toul. This departure brought the total troops withdrawn to eight battalions, about 5,000 men having left for France in the last two days.

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GET ON THE VOTERS' LIST

THOSE ELIGIBLE VOTERS IN THIS community who do not own property within the city limits must make application to have their names put on the civic roll on or before next Monday. On that day the lists will close and those whose names do not appear will not be able to cast ballots at the municipal elections in December.

It is gratifying to learn that nearly twice as many already have registered as had done so at this time last year; but the total up till last night indicates that something like 2,000 more applications will have to be made between now and next Monday if the roll is to be thoroughly representative of the city's municipal voting strength.

It should be borne in mind that this community has reached an important stage of its progress. A number of projects of an industrial nature are under consideration and the practical interest which is manifested in these matters will be reflected very largely by the number of our citizens who take the trouble to get on the electoral roll and exercise their franchise.

Too many people, we fear, do not realize that it is their duty to take an interest in local problems. It is their business and they have the privilege of electing the men they desire to conduct it. But they must get on the voters' list to enable them to use it.

THE EXIT OF TROTSKY AND ZINOVIEFF

LEON TROTSKY AND GREGORY ZINOVIEFF have been read out of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Soviet Russia. This final act on the part of those in control does not come as a surprise. The two have been disciplined several times during the last few months because of what has been described as their treasonable speeches and violation of party regulation.

The interesting point about the discharge from the inner councils of the Communist Party of these two prominent figures is that they are to go into the discard with their skins whole. It is not the usual treatment meted out to recalcitrant members of an extremely radical organization. As a rule treason within the camp is summarily dealt with and the final chapter generally written by a firing squad. But Trotsky and Zinovieff have been tolerated for months and their general demeanor towards the less extreme elements of the Central Committee has been one of open defiance. That is their kind. It explains their kicking over the party traces. There is the only method of running things. The policy of others, has no merit. Open rebellion is the result.

It will be recalled, however, that capital punishment recently was practically done away with in Russia except for major crimes. But the crimes of Trotsky and Zinovieff do not appear to come within this category. Their punishment is expulsion. With them out of the way, of course, Stalin may feel free to continue the Communistic retreat from Moscow and still further modify the system of government which already is far removed from the edifice which Lenin erected. Stalin is the intellectual inferior of both Trotsky and Zinovieff. There is much less of the extreme Communism about him. However, despite his power and the role he is filling, he still is a peasant at heart.

No violent change in Russian policy, either internal or external, need be expected as a result of the dismissal of these two active figures. Their influence has been practically nil for some time past. Return to representative government necessarily will be slow; but it will come eventually and it will be more solidly established with disturbing elements removed.

USELESS REPETITION

DR. TOLMIE CONTINUES TO HARP on the complaint that Premier MacLean should not have called the Nelson by-election when he did because it kept him and some of his friends away from the recent Winnipeg Convention. He told us some time ago that the late Premier Oliver would have studied their feelings in the matter, and now he tells us that Premier King, too, would have acted differently.

It is not easy to understand just why Dr. Tolmie still is worrying about Nelson. He says he is pleased with the result. He takes the reduced majority as a sign that the strength of the Government is waning. What more does he want? Apart from this aspect of the matter, however, why should he be deploring the fact that he could not go to Winnipeg? Mr. Bennett is the Conservative Party's new leader, chosen on the second vote in a decisive manner, and everybody, save perhaps those who were hoping to get the job themselves, seems highly delighted with the result. Surely Dr. Tolmie ought to be talking to the

people of this Province about what he would do if he were running their affairs.

The Nelson by-election was held when it was to permit Premier MacLean to go to the conference of provincial Premiers at Ottawa. That gathering is of much more importance to British Columbia than Dr. Tolmie's presence at a Federal Conservative convention.

THE FLAG ISSUE SETTLED

GENERAL HERTZOG AND GENERAL Smuts and their respective parties have reached an agreement on the South African flag question. It now will not be necessary to submit a referendum to the people for their instructions.

Latest dispatches from Capetown indicate that the settlement is a compromise which at times may lead to confusion. On quite a number of official buildings both the Union Jack and the new emblem will be flown, while the Union Jack will continue to be flown on ships until a decision of an Imperial Conference shall otherwise determine.

The fortunate point about this solution is that the campaign which has waged bitterly will be brought to a close and racial prejudices which have been emphasized will be allowed to subside. A campaign on a referendum would have been bad for business and dangerous in more ways than one.

It still is difficult to understand why there should have been so much objection to the idea of a distinct emblem for this member of the British Commonwealth of Nations. Australia and New Zealand have had their flags for a long time, while the Irish Free State lost no time in getting one for itself. Yet we find the newest Dominion enjoying more cordial relations with Great Britain than it has done at any time since its formation.

WHAT THE TORNADO REVEALED

ONE OF THE INTERESTING THINGS that a survey of the damage done by the tornado at St. Louis has revealed is the fact that the wooden houses survived the storm with a much smaller percentage of damage than other houses around them. Most of the dwellings in the storm-stricken area were constructed of materials other than wood. Incidentally, moreover, a large part of the damage to the wooden structures was caused by flying debris from neighboring houses built of heavier material.

By virtue of its elasticity, of course, the wooden house is much safer in a violent gale than one constructed of brick would be; but the twister that blew through St. Louis was no ordinary gale, as the pictures of the shambles very clearly portray. The damage done to buildings of heavier material, however, may reasonably have a bearing on building programmes in those areas of this continent to which Nature occasionally pays very rough attention. With efficient fire-fighting services in even small communities the wooden house is a fair risk; but the work of the tornado in St. Louis seems to have been very thorough on other kinds of dwellings.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

TAME CATS
From The Detroit News

It occurred to a great news-gathering organization, the other day, that time should be found to look into the matter of Kilkenny cats. Just as one feared, the correspondent who investigated reports that the cats of Kilkenny no longer fight to a greater degree than less notorious cats elsewhere.

Being the representative of such a service, there can have been nothing perturbing about investigation; his conclusions are certainly not founded on mere hearsay; doubtless the man pursued his studies at the witching hour of midnight, hidden in a rain barrel or at the shadowy end of an Irish wall. It sounds like an interesting, and even difficult, assignment.

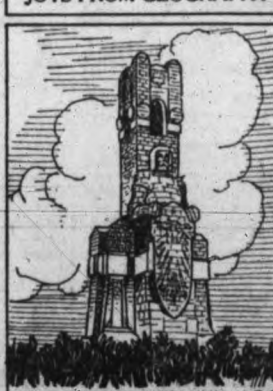
No satisfying reason is advanced for this reform of the Kilkenny cats; science, possibly, will step in and analyze the matter. But some sobering influence has undoubtedly descended on the cats of Kilkenny so that the night hours, formerly given over to their gory revels, are now comparatively quiet except during elections.

But the correspondent found out one thing, heartening in these days of so many puffed legends. The Kilkenny cats of the past did fight and fought like well, Kilkenny cats.

THOUGHTS

Render therefore to all their dues.—Romans xiii, 7.
A tender conscience is a stronger obligation than prison.—Thomas Fuller.

JOTS FROM GEOGRAPHY



THE BISMARCK COLUMN, at Cologne, Germany, was erected as a memorial to the man of "blood and iron." The giant monument is constructed of brick and stone, but in spite of its irregular composition, the relief of the whole is singularly pleasing. Bismarck is known as the greatest statesman of the 19th Century. By his personality he elevated the House of Hohenzollern to imperial prestige.

DO YOU KNOW—



That the early Grecian boxers, while in training for a bout, were given a diet of new cheese, dried figs, and boiled grain, with warm water and no meat.

Life's Niceties Hints On Etiquette

1. Does the most elaborate formal dinner have anything in common with the simplest?

2. How is the menu changed for an elaborate dinner?

3. What courses might be added?

THE ANSWERS

1. Yes, it is built around the same four courses.

2. More courses are added.

3. Hors-d'oeuvres, canapases, sea-food or fruit, cold meats, a fish course, an entrée before the meat or a vegetable entrée after, a fowl course, cold cuts, crackers and some unusual cheese and ripe fruit.

Bridge Me Another

By W. W. WENTWORTH

(Abbreviations: A—ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—jack; X—any card lower than 10.)

1—How many supporting tricks may you count when you hold A Q J or A Q 10 X in side suits?

2—I there is no quick trick in the five card suit, what quick tricks must you find in the other suits to bid one?

3—Lacking normal support for your partner, what must you do?

THE ANSWERS

1—Two and one-half, when not bid by opponent on left.

2—At least two or three quick tricks in remaining hand depending on honors in suit bid.

3—Deny your partner's suit by bidding any sound secondary suit or no trump, if you hold required strength, and if not, pass.

Canadian Questions and Answers

CANADA'S AERIAL LEADERSHIP

Q—Wherein does Canada lead in aerial navigation?

A—A London, England, aerial authority states that "Canada is to the fore among all the nations of the world in aerial survey, which is of a very advanced nature." The same applies to aeronautics in fire protection and patrol. The Federal Air Board conducts this service with a training camp at Camp Borden and other stations at Dartmouth, N.S., Ottawa, Victoria Beach, Man., High River, Alta., and Vancouver, B.C. A Government aerial mail service will soon be inaugurated from Father Point to Montreal as the commencement of a possible all-Canadian one later on.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, Oct. 26.—3 a.m.—The barometer remains high over Northern B.C. and fair, mild weather continues from the Coast to Manitoba.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 53; minimum, 44; wind, 14 miles N.E. weather, cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 38; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles N.E. weather, clear.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.75; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles N.W. weather, fair.
Fortitude, Ore.—Barometer, 29.75; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.E. weather, fair.
Seattle—Barometer, 29.85; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.E. weather, fair.
Grand Forks—Barometer, 29.75; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 40; wind, 10 miles E.E. weather, raining.
Penticton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 41; rain, trace.
Current—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 34; rain, trace.
Qu'Appelle—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 40; rain, 0.2.
Regina—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 41; rain, 0.2.
Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 40; rain, trace.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	53	44
Vancouver	54	38
Barkerville	50	30
Tatlahouche	54	36
Grand Forks	58	40
Nelson	48	36
Calgary	48	26
Edmonton	56	36
Toronto	54	42
Ottawa	58	38
Montreal	58	40
St. John	50	32
Halifax	52	32
Dawson	58	28

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Other People's Views

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THE DATE OF THE "NEXT WAR"

To the Editor:—Permit me a little space in your valuable paper on the above subject.

I am always interested in your comments, but on this occasion, in your issue of October 20, your comment on the address given by Mr. Basil Stuart on the above subject are somewhat misleading to the public. No British Isles would make the statement, "That any hostile power was going to invade Russia and wipe them out," as you put it. There are other sources from which we can learn that most exterminated if necessary, we know from history what the sword, pestilence and famine can do. We have a sure word of prophecy, and the pyramid of doom is to permit the "next war" is somewhat of a misnomer. It is really the worse phase of the war that has come and to all appearances, it is coming.

We are only in the "Armistice," which means a truce or cessation of hostilities. We must not shut our eyes to the facts. We must not close our eyes to the fact that we are living in momentous times. There is one great landmark in our present-day history, viz. Jerusalem. It is told by our Lord, St. Luke 21, 24, "Jerusalem shall be trodden down of the Gentiles (nations) until the times of the Gentiles be fulfilled. This is past history (the times of the Gentiles are nearly run out). Then follows in verse 25, 26, "distress of nations, perplexity, men falling by the sword, and by famine, and by pestilence, and by earthquakes, of all kinds of things which are coming on the world." I stated Jerusalem is no longer trodden down. Only very recently there was an article in The Times giving an account of the vast improvements and developments that have taken place in and around Jerusalem, and we have heard from other sources that since General Allenby entered the Holy Land December 11, 1917, and the British (which means "covenant man") have been in possession of the city, there has been a constant upward trend.

Now to the sure word of prophecy, British Israelites know and believe there are troublous times ahead and that God will protect his people, and in the end He will fight for them in the "great day of God Almighty." Rev. 19, 14, "We turn to Ezekiel 38 and 39 and see what is soon to happen. Here we have the record of the final battle, the war to end war. Rev. 17 concerns the same event, which will take place in Palestine round about Jerusalem, not in Russia. Joel 3, v. 2 calls it "the valley of Jehoshaphat," in verse 14, "valley of decision, for the day of the Lord is near." Revelation 16, 21 also tells us what shall happen at this time.

I must omit the final scene before I conclude. Zechariah 15, verse 2, "I will gather all nations against Jerusalem to battle," verse 3, "Then shall the Lord go forth and fight against those nations," verse 4, "And his feet shall stand in the Mount of Olives." Compare Acts 1, v. 9, 10, "He was taken up and a cloud received him out of their sight. And while they were looking steadfastly up into Heaven as he went, behold two men stood by them in white apparel, which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye looking into Heaven? This same Jesus which was received up from you into Heaven shall so come in like manner as ye beheld him going into Heaven. (This scene took place on the Mount of Olives). Compare also Revelation 1, 7: "Behold, he cometh with clouds and every eye shall see him. Even so, Amen."

B.M.D. No. 3, Wilkinson Road, Victoria, October 22, 1927.

"ALL AT SEA"

To the Editor:—It is just possible that you may be "all at sea" yourself in indicating that rather crude and discourteous sub-editor on the addressing of letters to yourself and others in this city from London, Eng.

and as contained (along with the dinky photographic reproduction of one of them) in your last Saturday's issue. One could overlook a Victorian becoming somewhat submerged on the receipt of mail addressed as illustrated, because from here there is only one mail route to any other place and it is difficult for him to conceive of the conditions governing the addressing of letters from points at which there are always several. The direction of letters towards the quicksands and more departing mail-ships for the required destination is one of the early lessons to be learned by children on first entering offices in the Old Country, and is great geography.

In the case in question the simple addition of U.S.A. to the foot of the correctly addressed envelope had the effect of turning it when sorted at the G.P.O. in the direction of New York, Baltimore, Boston, instead of being held for the next Rimouski mail and in this instance you probably got your letter a few days sooner than you otherwise would have done, for which kindness and consideration you now return such generous thanks. Whether or not more particular form of addressing is to mark the envelope via New York, or whichever the port of landing of the next departing mail-ship may be. But in this method you have to be quite sure, otherwise you will lose a few days instead of gaining them. You may well "despair of any improvement."

But let us suppose that the address in question is an error of ignorance, as you have so graphically posted it, and coupled with it The London Times stated confusion of B.C.'s geography—its idea that Vancouver and not Victoria is the capital of this Province. Now to deal with the last-supposed aberration first: Is it not a fact that Vancouver is the commercial, industrial, fiscal centre or capital of this Province? Why not let it go at that? If we wish to fix Victoria in the mind's eye of London and elsewhere as a place of the same relative importance to that in which we conceive ourselves as a city, then we must make the peculiar noise which enters not at the ears, and keep on making it. But do you not know, Sir, are you not aware, that to-day within the confines of this gigantic Province, an empire in itself, we have not sufficient population to constitute one decent sized city?

As regards the addressing of letters to these parts from the Old Sod, and which I well remember you have held up to ridicule on several previous occasions. Have you by any chance seen similar errors made by Canadians and Americans when directing mail to overseas destinations? I have! George Bernard Shaw, about whom we have had something in our local press recently, once paid our neighbors to the south the compliment of being the best half-educated people in the world. I hardly think Bernard Shaw has discovered us Canadians yet—but if he does he will probably find us one-quarter—say 25 cents, educated. Yes, this loose form of addressing may appear very remote to some of us here whose radius of circulation, mental or physical, and whose working concepts of the confines of the British Empire and Commonwealth of Nations, contained therein ends somewhere about the outer boundaries of Spanish. But get into the office of The London Times or for that matter the office of any large concern in England, whose correspondence goes not only to all parts of our Empire but to the world at large, and look at it from that standpoint.

Also please bear in mind that the addressing, stamping and mailing of mail in the Old Country is one of the first jobs usually given to a new man upon starting business after leaving school, and that it is a much more complicated matter there than it is here for the reasons I have given.

Suppose all the errors of principle, ignorance, intent, perpetrated in your newspaper during the past year or two were posted as you have done the supposed error in question my dear Sir it would require the bill boards of the city to contain them. To be more exact, in your issue of Friday last you quote Viscount Cecil as follows: "Do not let us forget that out of every pound sterling of taxation we pay fourpence shillings are due to past years of preparations for future wars; this is a terrible burden, far greater than any other country in the world is bearing at present."

Which of these two quotations, may I ask, is the correct one? There is an enormous difference between the two and many have read only your front page article, and have taken the tenth of Britain's present taxation is "due to past years of preparations for future wars" is simply putting words into Viscount Cecil's mouth which he most certainly never uttered. A Bolshevik could not do better! We all know quite well what the heavy burden, which he referred to consists of. It is being shouldered manfully and from all standpoints, except one possibly, is a burden to be proud of—the exception reflects not upon us but upon the entire human race as at present constituted.

J. STAFFORD,
407 Belleville Street, City, October 24, 1927.

THAT ULTIMATUM

To the Editor:—Although not a party politician I cannot refrain from expressing my views on the action of the Oak Bay Conservatives at their meeting when they passed a resolution asking W. J. Bowser to quit taking any interest in public affairs. Since when, Sir, has any man or group of men the right to prevent another from taking an interest in the government of the

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land in which he lives? Surely Dr. Tolmie does not sanction such tactics, although since Messrs. Hayward, Lyons and Hinchliffe were present they evidently do. It seems, reading between the lines, that the trouble in the Conservative camp is jealousy and that Mr. Twig, Mr. Hayward and the others do not want to quit for Bowser, Tolmie or anybody else. They are there to save whether Conservatives want them or not, and whether they are any good or not. We shall see them again in action at the next session of the Legislature. "Nuf sed!"

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NEW PEERAGE ANNOUNCED

London, Oct. 26.—The Westminster Gazette announces that Rt. Hon. Ronald McNeill, who has succeeded Lord Cecil as Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, will be elevated to the peerage. He will become Government spokesman in the House of Lords on foreign affairs.

CITY CLEARS WAY FOR START ON ELEVATOR

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The city, with no implied commitment on the part of the city.
Through the fear of such an occurrence with the present principals was conceded to be remote, city legal advisers recalled the suit against the Vancouver Harbor Board on an elevator issue which arose out of a condition where work was authorized in a partial stage. With this point now overcome settlement of the final plans will be speeded up, and the Panama Pacific interests enabled to make a satisfactory start within the time limit set by the ratifying by-law passed by the electorate.
On behalf of the company D. S. Tait expressed the good faith of the Panama Pacific, and the need for action so that the elevator may be completed by a date in August, 1928. As explained to the council on Monday the preliminary work will cost in the neighborhood of some \$16,000, and will be financed by the Panama Pacific Company itself.
Pleased with progress made to the mutual satisfaction of both parties the conference adjourned. A start on the work is to be made as soon as the verbal agreement can be reduced to paper and signed.

THIRTY-FOUR ARE MISSING AT SEA AS SHIPS SEARCH

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for new homes in Brazil and Argentina were forced to take to the lifeboats when the luxurious Italian liner, Principeessa Mafalda, foundered about 200 miles southeast of the port of Bahia, Brazil.
First reports were that the vessel struck a rock in a dangerous region. A radio message from a rescue ship, however, said the sinking was due to an explosion.
Three of the ships which rushed to the aid of the sinking ship when she sent out an SOS call at 7:15 last night, picked up 730 of the 1,600 passengers reported to have been aboard the liner.
Radio reports indicated ships still were engaged to-day in the work of rescue.
SHIPS RUSHED TO SCENE
When the first frantic calls for help came from the sinking liner, four ships which were within short cruising distance hastened to her aid. Many of the passengers took to lifeboats and rafts while others leaped overboard with life preservers strapped about their bodies.
So great was the need of speed

Yukon Now Has Aeroplane Service

Whitehorse, Y.T., Oct. 26.—Lieut. A. D. Cruikshank "made an excellent landing on the aviation field here with the monoplane Queen of the Yukon, which had made the trip from Skagway in a few minutes over one hour. This is the first plane brought in by the Yukon Airways and Exploration Company, organized for the purpose of freight, mail and passenger service, but more particularly for exploration and prospecting in the more inaccessible parts of the territory.
Whitehorse will be the base of the company's operations.
The plane had been taken from Vancouver to Skagway by steampship.

In the rescue work that the four ships, on arriving at the scene, found that the liner was only the most meagre details concerning the fate of the passengers.
The French steamship Formosa saved persons, the British steamship Empire Star picked up 231 survivors. The German steamship Athena accounted for 400.
The British steamship Radioline also reached the scene of the disaster, but it was not learned whether she had picked up any survivors of the Mafalda. The only report of the Radioline's activities was that she had assisted in the rescue work.
Commandant Aurant of the naval arsenal said to-day he believed the disaster must have been due to the ship striking some submerged object off the coast.

CRUISER SENT
The Brazil Naval Ministry ordered the cruiser Rio Grande to sail to proceed immediately to the scene and co-operate in the rescue work.
The Mafalda had made twenty voyages from Buenos Ayres, carrying emigrants and first and second-class passengers. She was under command of Capt. Simon Ouli, a veteran mariner, aged fifty-five. She was due to arrive Saturday. The ship sailed from Genoa October 10 and Barcelona, Spain, October 20.

The first news of the disaster reached here when the Bahia radio station reported hearing numerous calls for aid being relayed by ships which had picked up the Mafalda's frantic appeal.
Advices to the Ministry of Marine placed the scene of the disaster at Abrol Ros, a group of low rock islands about forty miles off Caravelas, midway between Bahia and Rio de Janeiro. The waters of Bahia, where the liner sank, are made treacherous by unmarked rocks just below the surface. The Munson liner Western World, going from Buenos Ayres to New York, last Spring, struck on rocks there and was salvaged only after considerable difficulty.

IN TRADE WIND AREA
Southeast trade winds blow steadily over the portion of the South Atlantic where the ship sank. The weather is usually fairly calm, with a smooth sea. This would permit lifeboats to be lowered without much danger of capsizing.
The Mafalda, which was built in Genoa in 1903, was christened for Princess Mafalda, twenty-five-year-old daughter of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, who married Prince Philippe of Hesse in 1925. The ship was a twin-screw steel vessel of 9,910 tons.
More than seven years ago the liner, while en route from Buenos Ayres to Italy, was erroneously reported to have struck a mine and sunk with 700 passengers aboard.

The Abrol Ros rocks are thirty miles southeast of Saline Point and occupy a space of about one and one-quarter miles. Santa Barbara, the largest island, which rises 131 feet above high water, is about three-quarters of a mile in length by 100 yards in breadth and has a lighthouse near its eastern extremity. The other islands are extremely small.
The South American pilots say Santa Barbara offers no unusual navigation dangers, with the exception of the west end, where there is a reef. The three smaller islands to the southwest are bordered by reefs, while the fourth has a bank near it having only twenty feet of water over it.
About one mile east of the islands are shallow spots on the edge of a coral bank known as Parcel Das Abrol Ros.

The steamship Principeessa Mafalda was built in 1908, and during the World War was used as a troopship by the Italian Government. She was 485.2 feet long with a beam of 59.6 feet. After the war the ship was turned over to the Navigazione Generale Italiana Company. The Principeessa Mafalda was built primarily for the South American trade and seldom was used on any other route. Her only visit to North America, according to available records, was in 1914, shortly before the outbreak of the World War, when she called at New York. Until four years ago she was the fastest liner plying between Italy and South America.

PREMIER STARTS FOR OTTAWA TO LAY B.C. VIEW BEFORE PARLEY
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HAS BIG PROGRAMME
Before leaving to-day the Premier said he had nothing to add to the conference programme which he announced some time ago. His plans as outlined before include a request for the return of Federal railway lands to the Province; increased subsidies from the Federal Government; redefinition of Federal and provincial taxation powers; and a review of the responsibilities of Federal and Provincial Governments in the fields of education, health and transportation. And behind all these is the Government's desire to solve the Pacific Great Eastern Railway problem with the use of the federally-owned Peace River Block to assist in extending the British Columbia railway northward.

DEPARTMENTAL MATTERS

Apart from the conference itself the Premier will take up various departmental matters in Ottawa. He is taking with him memoranda on the salmon fishing situation in the Province from officials of the Fisheries Department and from farmers. After considering these carefully during his trip to Ottawa, he will discuss the whole fishery situation with officials of the Department of Marine and Fisheries following reports of serious depletion in the salmon run of this Coast.
The Premier has been asked by former sealing interests to take up the old question of compensation for them owing to the abolition of their business. These requests will be considered by the Government leader on his way East with a view to action at the Capital if this is considered desirable.

The Premier's material for the information of the conference was well prepared when he started for Ottawa. A year of intensive work by experts has gone into its preparation and the British Columbia delegates will be able to lay before the Premiers of other provinces many facts never presented at a national gathering before.

NEW FLAG BILL IN SOUTH AFRICA GIVEN APPROVAL

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position clear, not only by moving the second reading of the bill, but suggesting the next Union Day should be "Anniversary Day," recalling the time "the two races had first joined hands and an appropriate date on which the bill should become operative."
London, Oct. 26 (Canadian Press Cable).—"Common sense" is a term used in practically every British newspaper editorial in the discussion of the settlement of the flag controversy in South Africa, announced yesterday.
"Common sense has won the day," declares the London Daily Telegraph, which describes the result "as a complete settlement, honorable to both sides" of the controversy.
"If the flag question had gone to a referendum as had been proposed by Premier Hertzog, unprejudiced observers believe great damage would have been done to the relations between the two white races in South Africa," The Telegraph says.

MAYOR OF CHICAGO INVITED TO BRITAIN

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The original objective of the mayor's programme, the ousting of William McDougall as superintendent of public schools because he was a "stool pigeon of King George," has been relegated to a secondary place temporarily at least.

REPLY TO INVITATION

To a cable invitation from Sir Edwin Stockton to visit England for a week, Mayor Thompson replied:
"I greatly appreciate your kind invitation and heartily agree with the sentiment expressed in your telegram. The common understanding of the facts and truth regarding the intercourse of our two countries, I am sure, would be helpful to both, and important at this time when false reports are being circulated throughout the world pertaining to the mayor of Chicago burning the books of the Chicago Public Library, which is absolutely false."
"Appreciating as I do your kind invitation, I regret at this moment I can not say positively that I could make such a long journey because of my official duties at home, but if I may be permitted, will delay my final answer until such time as will give me an opportunity to decide if I may possibly accept."

PREMIER TO HEAR SUTTON'S SCHEME FOR NEW RAILWAY

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The Pacific Great Eastern Railway northward into the Peace River country.
SCHEME IS FAR-REACHING
So far the Capital has found it difficult to size up the one-armed soldier of fortune who became a leading figure in China's complicated game of politics and civil war. If General Sutton has the money necessary to take over the P.G.E. and extend it northward undoubtedly the Government will be willing to talk with him, but the magnitude of his proposals, which are far greater than the federal or provincial authorities have ever considered, has made the Capital wonder. It has seemed almost impossible that such a proposition could be financed except by the combined resources of powerful financial organizations.
WAR LORD BEHIND PLAN?
Yesterday's reports from Toronto suggesting that General Sutton is investing Chang Tso Lin's untold millions in British Columbia, as a safe place out of the reach of his enemies, have intrigued officials here. If the General can command the financial support of the Manchurian war lord, it is admitted that he would probably be in a position to build the P.G.E. almost anywhere. The idea of Chang Tso Lin rescuing British Columbia from its railway problem and operating a big railway system has appeared to the Capital as refreshing, to say the least.

Meanwhile the Government has an open mind on the whole question, and the Premier will hear precisely what General Sutton proposes at an interview to-morrow. What appears to interest the authorities here most at the moment is General Sutton's financial ability to carry through his project.
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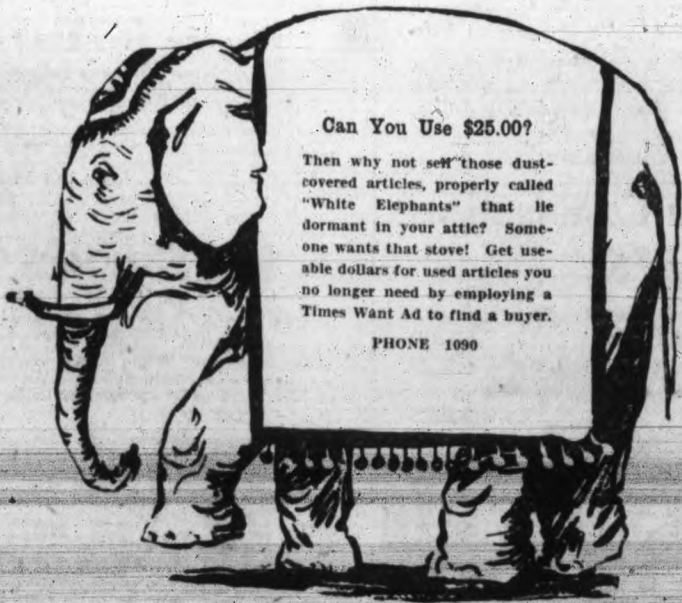
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D. Thomas, Now Visiting B.C. Coast, Tells of Shipping Plans.

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—"Britain will import large quantities of wheat from Vancouver and it is our hope to fill the many ship outbound with Welsh anthracite coal for the Western market," declares Dan Thomas, C.B.E., Welsh colliery owner, who is in Vancouver during a visit to British Columbia to survey the market prospects.

Mr. Thomas is a director of the Amalgamated Anthracite Collieries Limited, working twenty-four collieries, of which Sir Alfred Mond is chairman of the board, and four other local companies. Mr. Thomas was private secretary to Sir Alfred Mond for fifteen years and is a strong supporter of the Mond propaganda for Empire trade.

"We realize British Columbia produces excellent coal for local industrial purposes, but believe there is a good market for Welsh anthracite, which is unsurpassed for home and heating use," Mr. Thomas said.

TO INCREASE BUSINESS British companies, he said, were now making determined efforts to work up business in the Empire and he remarked his company had already exported 800,000 tons to Eastern Canada in competition with Pennsylvania anthracite. He declared that while the business would not be large at first, his company was looking to the future.

OIL AND COAL "There is no sign of oil superseding coal," Mr. Thomas stated emphatically. "To our knowledge there is not enough oil in the world for the demands. We are sure the coalfields in Britain and here in your Province will prosper for many years to come."

Britain had regained almost all her foreign trade in coal, despite the losses suffered during the big strike, Mr. Thomas said. He pointed out many large consumers, steamship and railway companies which had outfitted for oil, had now reverted to coal.

Mr. Thomas will visit mines on Vancouver Island and in other parts of the Province and return East next week.

SEIZURE OF BOAT IS DECLARED PIRACY

Ontario Magistrate Speaks Plainly of U.S. Prohibition Agents' Course

Belleville, Ont., Oct. 26.—"High-handed piracy" was the term applied by Magistrate W. C. Mikel to the action of the United States prohibition agents in seizing a powerboat owned by Dr. Hedley Welbanks of Belleville in Canadian waters last July. He made this remark in reviewing the charges that were laid against Welbanks following his subsequent repossession of the confiscated boat Versa at Brighton, Ont., on the night of October 18 last, after it had been sold by the United States Marine Department to the Palmer Company of Rochester.

Magistrate Mikel reserved judgment in the case. "The seizure of Welbanks' boat by United States officers was illegal and it was high-handed," the magistrate said. "To think the United States would send into Canadian waters armed with revolvers and a machine gun and take possession of a Canadian boat. It is the worst piece of piracy I have ever heard of."

LONG PARIS TRIAL NEARING ITS END

Paris, Oct. 26.—Impressed by the signs of unmistakable weariness on the part of the jurors hearing the case of Samuel Schwartzbard, Hebrew clock-maker, accused of having murdered General Simon Petliura, Ukrainian separatist leader, the opposing counsel in the case decided to try to send the case to the jury to-day. Four score witnesses cited to appear were struck off the list.

As a result the jury to-day had only to listen to the closing speeches of Schwartzbard's counsel, Henri Torres; the counsel for the Petliura family, C. Campinchi, and the prosecuting attorney, and the judge's address.

The sensational case had been expected to run another two weeks.

EVIDENCE FOR SEVEN DAYS "For seven days," said Torres, "witnesses for the prosecution have been heard. By an extraordinary accident those who have appeared in the last two days have been extremely favorable to the defence. I have cited ten soldiers who could testify to Schwartzbard's bravery at the front.

MAJORITY OF NEW SETTLERS SUCCEED

London, Oct. 26 (Canadian Press Cable).—J. Bruce Walker, Canadian director of European emigration, who has just returned to London after a visit to the Dominion, speaking on the family scheme of settlement in Canada, says nearly 3,000 families have found homes there, and of these eighty-five per cent are making good. Five per cent of these families are midway between success and failure, he says, and the prospects of the remainder are discouraging.

Sir Robert Horne, former Chancellor of the Exchequer, speaking in Glasgow, said that when he was Chancellor only 2,500,000 of the £10,000,000 set aside by the British Government for the encouragement of migration had been used. One hindrance to migration from Britain, he said, was the extent to which the state looked after the unemployed, and it would be foolish for the state to withdraw the so-called dole now that the men were being trained for settlement overseas.

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"Don't forget Poppy Ball, Empress Hotel, November 10."

Dr. Barton to Lecture To-night

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Fleece Cotton Combinations, with or without sleeves, knee length garments, in sizes 36 to 44. A suit . . . \$1.50 Women's Combinations in a combed-peeler yarn, beautifully soft in texture, made with or without sleeves and knee length; sizes 36 to 44. A suit . . . \$1.75

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Silk Knit Dresses for Women and Misses—\$5.95 \$7.90 \$8.90



A New Selection of Silk Knit Dresses At Special Low Prices Thursday

Outsized—38 to 48

Stylish Rayon Silk Afternoon Dresses, designed to suit the stout figure, showing straight line and tailored effects, acquiring their skirt fullness from kick and box pleats.

Trimmed with smart collars, cuffs and belts, and novelty buttons. Shown in silver, fawn, sandalwood, black and navy. Sterling values Thursday at . . . \$5.95

Misses—16, 18 and 20

A number of attractive Misses' Frocks of rayon silk, fashioned on straight line or two-piece effects, with collared or flat necklines, Novelty Rayon Silk Dresses in smart two-piece styles finished with long sleeves or girdles.

Accordion pleats, frills, tucks, flowers and metallic braid at trimming, and shown in a variety of shades. Sterling value Thursday at . . . \$7.90

Two-pieces Styles—16 to 40

Novelty Rayon Silk Dresses in smart two-piece styles, finished with tie sash, suede belts and fancy buttons. Skirts are shown with kick pleats, side tucks, etc.

Shown mostly with neat collars and long sleeves. Shades are black, navy, Copenhagen, cinnamon, Burgundy, powder blue and almond green; sizes 16 to 40. Sterling values Thursday at . . . \$8.90

—Mantles, First Floor

WOMEN'S RAYON SILK BLOOMERS AND VESTS AT 89c

Rayon Silk Bloomers in a wonderful range of shades, white, pink, peach, turquoise, Nile, orchid, ashes of roses and green; sizes small, medium and large, a pair . . . 89c Rayon Silk Vests, opera style, in all wanted shades; sizes 36 to 42, each . . . 89c

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Fall Silks for Dresses and Lingerie

Another shipment of 29-inch All-silk spun has arrived, showing several popular shades for dresses or lingerie or infants' wear. Sterling value at, a yard . . . 59c 36-inch Black Satin, rich sheen and finish, a good weight soft fabric for draping. Sterling value, a yard . . . \$1.29 36-inch Taffetas, plain shades or shot effects in all the delightful colors for evening wear. Sterling value at, a yard . . . \$1.98 36-inch Chiffon Finish Velvet, close heavy pile and absolutely guaranteed fast color; big range of shades to choose from. Sterling value at, a yard . . . \$1.98 —Silks, Main Floor

Big Selection of Pullover Sweaters

For Girls and Misses, \$2.95 to \$5.50 Pullover Sweaters of all-wool or silk and wool in a big variety of styles and colors, plain shades or fancy patterns, light or heavy weights for school and sports wear; sizes for 8 to 14 years, ranging in price from \$2.95 to \$5.50 —Children's Wear, First Floor

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That Lead the Winter

Millinery Mode Black Satin and Black Satin with Tinsel Hats, in a wide range of styles and prices.

Amongst these are some very smart matrons' models with good lines and attractive silver and gold relief. Others are more youthful in appearance, prettily-draped turbans combined with lace, or others with flare front with just a smart pin to finish. These models vary in price from

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Children's Flannel Pantee Dresses

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Smart Little Panty Dresses, good quality flannel in shades of rose, green, blue, sand and red, shown with touches of contrasting color on collars, cuffs and as trimming; sizes for 2 to 6 years, very good value at . . . \$4.95 —Children's Wear, First Floor

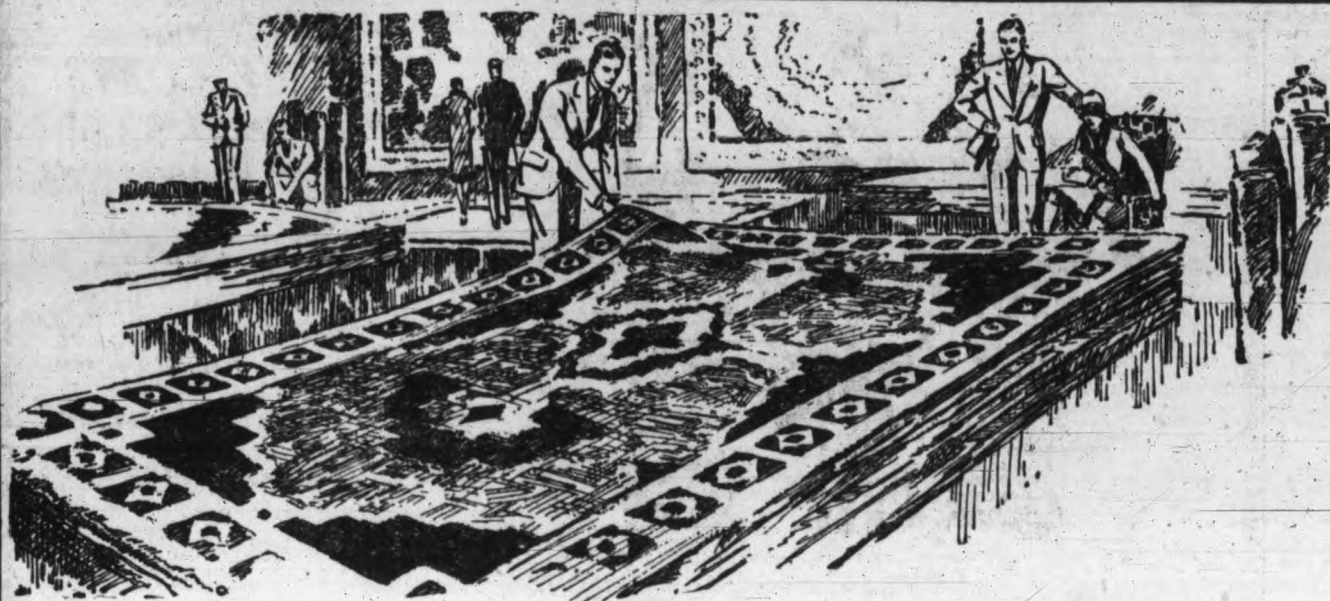
BRASSIERES

Sterling Values at 59c

Dainty Back Hook Brassieres of flowered batiste with rayon stripe, bound around top with fancy silk braid. A well-shaped model, especially suitable for the youthful figure; sizes 30 to 36, each . . . 59c —Corsets, First Floor

Good Values for the Last Days of Our 54th Anniversary

Our Sale of Oriental Rugs, at 1113 Government Street, Commences To-morrow



Sale of Oriental Rugs Commences Thursday, October 27 In Store No. 1113 Government Street, Arcade Building

Mr. George Carter, the Oriental rug expert, has been appointed buyer for the Oriental Carpet Departments of our Victoria and Vancouver stores, and will, commencing Thursday, October 27, conduct a Sale of Oriental Rugs, which will include great stocks from both stores. There will be beautiful Rugs from Persia, Turkey, Tientsin, India, etc. An entirely new line will be shown by us for the first time—viz., Turko-Greek Rugs. These are lustrous, hand-tufted Rugs formerly made by the Greek weavers in Turkey; now made by the Greek weavers from Turkey in Greece. Many recent shipments of Orientals, representing some exceptional purchases, will be offered.

A Selection of Oriental Rugs at Sale Prices

Beautiful Pergams, in small sizes, each	\$21.50	Kermanshaws, very fine Rugs, from \$500.00 to	\$750.00	Melek Turkish Rugs, in carpet sizes, at moderate prices.	
Zaroquarts, Mozul Rugs, each for	\$27.50	Persian Shiraz, superb Rugs, each from	\$65.00	Kazaks, one fine old piece only, for	\$150.00
Birjans-Khorasan Rugs, each from \$110.00 to	\$325.00	Nasik, fine Persian Rugs, each from	\$225.00	Antique Kabistans, 9.6x4.11 feet, each	\$225.00

—Store, 1113 Government Street

CHINESE RUGS

A large selection of Chinese Rugs will be shown, including the entire stock of both stores, reduced to make room for our Persian stock.

Tientsin Rugs, 4.0x7.0, from	\$75.00	Tientsin Rugs, 9.0x12.0, blue and brown, brown and taupe, chocolate and mulberry, blue and tan. Each	\$197.50
Tientsin Rugs, 5.0x8.0, from	\$79.50	Tientsin Rugs, 9.0x14.0, one only, extra fine quality, orange and blue. On sale, for	\$335.00
Tientsin Rugs, 6.0x9.0, one only; brown and blue	\$87.50	Large Stock of small Chinese Rugs, size 2.0x4.0	\$13.95
Tientsin Rugs, 6.0x9.0, extra fine quality; rose and blue, gold and blue. Each	\$135.00	Size 3.0x6.0, for	\$29.75
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Odd, Ready-to-use Sheets of good grade cotton.

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White Turkish Towels, Each, 39c

Fifty dozen White Turkish Towels, with fancy colored ends, some slightly imperfect or counter soiled. A bargain, each, at

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In Open Stock Patterns. Value at

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Child's Sets, bowl, jug, mug and plate, fine lustre china. Special, per set, \$9c

—China, Lower Main Floor

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Two Big Values—Thursday

Pillow Cases of unbleached cotton. Great value, 5 for

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Snow White Pillow Cases, 4 for

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All-wool Grey Blankets, 60x80 inches. Not the heavy-camping blanket but soft textured, and specially made for extra bed covers; fine grade. Each, \$3.95

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Flannelette Sheets

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Double bed Flannelette Sheet, white, with blue or pink borders. These are slightly imperfect but great value. A pair

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Comforters, filled with purified cotton and a splendid imitation of old-fashioned patchwork; double bed size. Each

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Men's Bargain Highway Furnishings

Has removed to the Lower Main Floor from Store, 615 View Street.

This department is now located beside the boys' store and Bargain Highway shoe sections.

—Lower Main Floor



Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

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Smart young men's styles and plenty of models for the conservative dresser. Half-belter models, loose-fitting blue chin-chillas, check back, plaid lined, all wool tweeds. Each a very great value for

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A large range of men's and young men's Overcoats. A really exceptional grouping of superior value coats.

Half silk lined, full lined and quarter lined; loose fitting, single and double breasted; greys, Lovats, fancy checks and blue chin-chillas. An exceptional value for, each ...

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—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Men's Shirts

Represented by a Number of Good Values Thursday

Men's Negligee Shirts, in Tooks, Arrow and Monarch brands, of broadcloth, percales and woven zephyrs; patterned with light and medium fancy color stripes. Each has a separate collar to match. Each

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English Broadcloth Shirts, Arrow and Tooks brand, patterned with fancy stripes, with separate collar to match. Every shirt guaranteed: sizes 33, 34 and 35. On sale, \$2.50

Men's Flannel Shirts, wool mixture, Colossus brand. Extra large chest measurement, long body, full sleeves, large armholes. Full yoke and pocket, extension neckband, and collar attached; khaki or grey. Each

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Colossus Brand, Heavy Tweed Shirts, wool mixtures, patterned Colossus Brand, Grey and Black Mixture Tweed Work Shirts, with fancy checks and assorted colors; with collar and pocket. Each

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Three Days' Sale of Men's Shoes

In Our Main Floor Section At

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Men's Boots and Oxfords in tan and black calf, including several lines of the well-known "Albion" English made shoes, as well as some of our better quality Canadian makes, marked at a very special price to clear. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, \$5.45

—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Silk Knitted Ties, \$1.00

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Reg. 20c lb.	
Gold Dust, large packets	27¢
24-in-1 Shoe Polish	10¢
White Wonder Soap, 5 bars	23¢
Western Corn Flakes, 2 packets	19¢

FRESH MEAT AND FISH SPECIALS

Pork Spare Ribs, lb.	22¢	Liver and Bacon, special	25¢	
Half-cooked Soused Pig's Feet	2 lbs. for	25¢	Beef Kidneys, lb.	25¢
Sugar-cured Corned Beef, lb.	28¢, 22¢ and	16¢		
Fresh Young Spring Salmon,			Fresh Herring, 4 lbs.	25¢
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YOUR BABY and MINE

by MERTLE MEYER ELDRED



Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will bring a personal reply.

THERE IS NO SET DATE AT WHICH TEETH APPEAR

The mother worries when the teeth do not appear. She worries when they appear early, for there are always advisers who are eager to tell her that early teeth decay; or that late teeth are due to the baby's inheritance. Both of which ideas merely skim the truth.

The teeth are in the gums when the child is born. They have been there from four to seven months old the teeth will push up into sight. The first teeth seldom appear before the fourth month and sometimes several months later. The first teeth are the two lower centre ones; the next four, upper, centre ones; so that at one year the child has six teeth.

If he has no teeth at one year of age there are three possible causes for their delay. The child has not been fed rightly; the mother did not have the proper nourishment during pregnancy or the child has had a serious illness.

Perhaps the mother-as-father has had a history of late teething. If the baby repeats this history it is more than likely because his feeding and whole environment has been a repetition of the parents. Even in one family, all of whom have good strong teeth, if the baby has been sickly, or badly nourished, the teeth will show this. So don't attach too much importance to heredity.

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Harem on Wheels

For King of Arabia

London, Oct. 26.—A harem on wheels, large enough to accommodate twenty-four wives, has been built here for the King of Arabia. The ambulatory seraglio consists of two large and luxurious motor cars, each big enough for a dozen of the King's partners in matrimony. The automobiles were ordered so the King can take some of his spouses along with him on his frequent long trips through the desert section of his kingdom.

Central W.C.T.U.—The executive of the Central W.C.T.U. have arranged to hold a rally at the home of Dr. Helen Ryan, Battery Street, to-morrow afternoon, when it is hoped all who are interested in the movement will attend. Mrs. C. C. Spofford will give an interesting talk on her sojourn in California. Mrs. Stanley Patrick will be the soloist.

Hallowe'en Party—A Hallowe'en entertainment consisting of a social programme and other entertainments, followed by refreshments, will be given by the girls' branch of the W.A. will be held in St. Saviour's Church schoolroom, Victoria West, on Friday evening, October 28, commencing at 8 o'clock.

The Y.W.C.A. Welcome Club will meet in the new building on Thursday evening. Supper will be served at 6 p.m. After the usual vesper service a Hallowe'en party will be held for all members and friends are cordially invited.

Oakland P-T-A.—The Oakland Parent-Teacher Association will hold a whist drive in the school assembly hall this evening at 8.15. Refreshments will be served.

TEA SERVED

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Between twelve and sixteen months four double teeth will arrive. The stomach and eye teeth come in between the twentieth and twenty-fourth month. The thirty months old child will have his full set of twenty teeth.

The actual eruption period is usually marked by some disturbance, fever, irritability and probably a slight diarrhoea and loss of appetite. This may last a week. The frailer the child, the more he will suffer over every upset in his life and teeth are no exception.

The mother makes her greatest mistake when she begins at four months of age to attribute every ailment to teeth. Teeth may temporarily aggravate the child's condition, but the fault is not teeth, but the general health. It is the difference between the real gang villain and the fellow who helps him in the mischief, that she can forget teeth.

Teeth may not appear in exactly the order named; they may come in far later or earlier than the time named. Unless this time variation is great the mother need not worry. She should put her efforts on the right diet and general care and see that in all ways the child is progressing as he should; then she can forget teeth.

If you are in doubt about the proper diet for your baby, write Mrs. Eldred enclosing a s.a.s.e., giving the baby's age and she will send you a diet leaflet.

SOCIAL PERSONAL WOMEN'S AFFAIRS AND CLUB NEWS

HUNDREDS END OPENING CEREMONY OF NEW Y.W.C.A.

Hon. R. R. Bruce Lauds Vision and Energy of the Women Responsible

Warm commendation of the faithful and energetic women whose efforts over many years in the face of innumerable obstacles, which would have daunted men had culminated in such a fine building, was expressed by speakers at the formal opening ceremonies yesterday at the new Y.W.C.A. building. Hundreds of visitors were gathered in the spacious lounge when His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor arrived with Miss Mackenzie for the ceremony, and throughout the afternoon a steady stream of friends of the institution passed through its doors to admire this fine new addition to the community life of Victoria.

HISTORY REVIEWED

Touching upon the history of the "Y," His Honor in his opening address paid tribute to the vision and faith of the little band of women who started the movement over thirty years ago under the guidance of the late Bishop Crigge, with a nucleus of sixteen girls and meals served at ten cents a head. After many vicissitudes it had kept faith and progressed, and the present building was a splendid testimony to the vision and energy of those who had carried on the work. Such a building was a credit not only to the "Y" but was also a testimony from the city of Victoria to the great work being carried on among the young womanhood of the city, said His Honor.

The Lieutenant-Governor singled out for particular praise the president, Mrs. H. H. Smith, and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher, who had borne most of the work and onus of raising the money required for the building; Miss Agnew, who had worked energetically in promoting one of the campaigns; the Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, I.O.D.E., which had furnished the lounge as a memorial to the late Miss Cameron; and the outstanding workers in the Y.W.C.A. in former years and a notable figure in the educational life of the city; the Women's Canadian Club, for furnishing the drawing-room; C. E. Watkins, the architect, and Luney Bros., the contractors, for the excellence of the design and construction.

TRIBUTE TO WOMEN

Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., lauded the work of the sacrificial, tenacious, faithful and energetic women who had surmounted what mere men would consider insurmountable obstacles to reach the goal of a building adequate to meet the needs of a modern Y.W.C.A. To the men present he amusingly offered the suggestion that the women who had built the "Y" should be called in to put over the elevator scheme for the history of the Y.W.C.A. in Victoria had proved their dauntless courage.

FLOWERS PRESENTED

Mrs. H. H. Smith, the president, in a brief address thanked the many who assisted in the work and made possible the fruition of a long-cherished dream. She then presented flowers to Miss Helen Mackenzie; to Mrs. Frank Adams, honorary president for continuous service for over thirty years; to Miss Fawcett, who, to use her own expression, had "occupied every position that that of cook on the board"; to Mrs. James Forman, the first president after the reorganization many years ago and a continuous worker ever since; and to Mrs. F. C. Niven, for many years the capable treasurer; to Mrs. Dunsmuir, in recognition of her generous support at all times; and to Mrs. J. H. Fletcher, Miss Agnew and Mrs. J. C. Watkins, in connection with the financial campaigns. Mrs. Smith also received a bouquet from the board of directors in appreciation of her splendid work.

The remainder of the formal programme included the singing of the Doxology; a Scripture reading by Rev. T. W. Gladstone; dedicatory prayer by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick; greetings by Miss Edna Pearce, general secretary of the Vancouver Y.W.C.A., and Mark Graham, chairman of the Victoria Y.M.C.A., and an address by James Forman, who gave a short talk on the work of the "Y" and made grateful reference to the various friends who had generously helped the achievement by securing contributions.

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Mr. Hobart Molson, St. Charles Street, has as his guest for a few days, Mr. Gerald Bogert, of Montreal.

Mr. Hobart Molson entertained last evening at his home on St. Charles Street at an informal dance.

Mr. H. B. Leuty, of Vancouver, after spending a few days in Victoria, left this morning for a trip up the Island.

General and Mrs. Noel Money and Gordon Money of Qualicum are visitors in town for a few days.

The Misses Violet and Sybil Toogood of Nelson, who have been visiting in this city, have left for Vancouver.

Miss Alene Grimison, Springfield Avenue, is spending a few days' holiday in Seattle.

Mrs. George H. Deane entertained yesterday afternoon with several tables of bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stinson, Fell Street, left on Sunday for San Francisco, where they will visit with friends for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Andrew Wright, The Uplands, left this afternoon for Burnaby, Vancouver, to attend the quarterly meeting of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Mr. C. V. Wakeley of Vancouver is among the visitors from the Mainland spending a few days in Victoria on business.

Lady McBride left this afternoon for the Mainland to visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beck, Esquire.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton has returned to her home on Ellery Street after an extended visit to London, England and New York.

Miss Clara Mallins has returned to her home in Vancouver after visiting Mrs. Henry Croft at "Mount Adelaide," Esquimalt.

Mr. D. Critchley, of Inverness, B.C., arrived in Victoria yesterday afternoon to spend the winter months and is a guest at the Balmoral Hotel.

Mrs. D. P. Marpole, Miss Mary, Miss Monica and Miss Dalton Marpole of Vancouver are leaving in November for the Mediterranean and will remain in France for a year.

Mrs. Earl Squire (nee Daisy Boyden) will receive the first time since her marriage on Saturday, October 29, from 3 till 6 p.m. at her home, 1333 Mitchell Street, Oak Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Lipsett, of St. Paul, have been spending a few days in Victoria as the guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Howard, Oscar Street.

Mrs. Fred M. McGregor entertained this afternoon at her home on Granite Street at tea for the afternoon.

Afternoon Mrs. McGregor will also be hostess to a number of guests at the tea hour.

Mrs. Albert F. Griffiths, The Uplands, left this afternoon for Vancouver to spend a couple of weeks there as the guest of Mrs. C. B. McAllister, Connaught Drive. She will attend the Provincial I.O.D.E. meeting at Burnaby.

Mrs. G. C. Clark, Vancouver Street, left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver to attend the wedding of her brother-in-law, Mr. Cyril E. J. Clark and Miss Mona Gentemont which will take place in Vancouver this evening at St. Michael's Church.

An enjoyable birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goode, 3118 Washington Avenue, last night. The Rev. Dr. Campbell presided at the party given by Mrs. Frank Harrison, Shaughnessy Heights, on Monday. Other guests were Mrs. R. W. Wood, Mrs. A. B. Trilles, Mrs. Grange, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. D. P. Marpole, Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Charles Macaulay, Mrs. Coyle, Mrs. Leon Dreyfus and Mrs. Sherwood.

In the presence of a few intimate friends of the principals, at "Breadalbane," the minister's residence, 2547 Windsor Road, the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Sergt. Major Albert Arthur Smith and Miss Eleanor Ward, both of Victoria. The bride was given in marriage by Mrs. Julia Smith. On return from honeymoon Sergt. Major and Mrs. Smith will make their home in this city.

APPRECIATION OF ART ESSENTIAL IN CHILD'S TRAINING

Lieut.-Governor Commends Arts and Crafts Club's Fine Exhibition; Made Purchase

That no greater service could be rendered to the young people of the country, who would be the citizens and rulers of to-morrow, than to introduce them to art and teach them the appreciation of beauty, was one of the notable observations made by Hon. R. R. Bruce yesterday afternoon in opening the annual exhibition of the Island Arts and Crafts Society.

In a new world it was sometimes forgotten that man cannot build up a nation out of material things alone, continued His Honor. In the olden countries, as in Great Britain, the children received an unconscious training in appreciation of art by their contact with the heritage of beauty handed down through the ages, and this lack in the newer countries might well be offset by seeing that the child had association whenever possible with the best in contemporary art.

Congratulating the society on the excellence of its exhibition, the Lieut.-Governor complimented them on their efforts to see that the aesthetic progress of Victoria kept pace with the material progress. He referred to the inclusion this year of artists and craftsworkers from other parts of Canada, and envisioned a time when the exhibition might be still more widely representative of the whole of Canada.

T. S. Gore, the president, in introducing His Honor, briefly sketched the history of the Arts and Crafts Society since 1888, when it began its career under another name. After deploring the attitude of those who looked upon art as "just frills," Mr. Gore lamented the absence of an art school in this city.

Before leaving the exhibition, His Honor purchased one of Thomas W. Fripp's water colors, "Mount of the Holy Cross, Hope, B.C."

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Mrs. Fred Spencer, Florence Street, entertained the members of the Bridge Club of which she is a member at her home on Monday evening.

At Christ Church Cathedral on Saturday afternoon, Very Rev. C. S. Quinlan, Dean of Columbia, officiated at the marriage of Miss Florence Annie Baird and Mr. Leonard William Ball.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. C. N. Baird, wore a gown of dahl blue French georgette trimmed with blonde Chantilly lace. She wore a becoming hat of georgette to match her frock, trimmed with gold lace and small French flowers. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses and maidenhair fern. Miss B. Toward, as bridesmaid, wore a pretty frock of rose taffeta, with a close-fitting bodice and bouffant skirt embroidered with flowers in a deeper shade of rose with black picture hat, and carried pink carnations and maidenhair fern.

K. Campbell was best man. During the signing of the register, Miss J. Duncan sang "Until." After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's brother, 427 Stannard Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ball left for Portland where they will spend their honeymoon, the bride traveling in a dress of rosewood crepe de Chine, with a coat of plum-shaded velvet trimmed with gold lace and small French flowers. Among the many handsome gifts received was a mantel clock to the groom from the gardeners and mechanical staff of the Provincial Parliament Buildings and a set of silver from the Long Distance staff of the B.C. Telephone Company, of which the bride was a member.

The church service was followed by a reception at the home of the bridegroom's parents. Here, among decorations of pink and white and beneath a large wedding bell, the happy couple received the many guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris left on the afternoon boat for Seattle and will spend their honeymoon in various Sound cities. On returning to this city they will make their future home at 809 Metcalfe Street. The bride's traveling dress was of grey crepe de Chine, trimmed with blue, and fur-trimmed coat of blue velvet with hat to match. The young couple were the recipients of many beautiful presents.

Members of the Provincial Board of Women's Institutes, who have been in conference here for the last two days, paid a visit to the Queen Alexandra Solarium at Mill Bay this morning, to see for themselves the progress of the undertaking to which the institutes have given such splendid support. The members of the board making the visit included Mrs. J. D. Gordon, Mrs. M. L. Murray, Mrs. Pitts, Mrs. McGregor and Mrs. Noble, with Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, provincial superintendent.

A Blessing to People of Advanced Years

Gin Pills relieve sufferers from kidney and bladder trouble

"I wonder if you really know what a blessing Gin Pills are to people of advanced years."

"I am 72 years of age, and suffered for a considerable time with kidney and bladder trouble. My rest was broken through having to get up in the night three and four times. Later I suffered with pains in the bladder, and my son, who had used Gin Pills for pains in the back and lumbago, bought me a box. Before I had finished it I was relieved of the pains in my bladder and had to get up less frequently. At my age I can scarcely expect to be permanently free from troubles of this kind, but if Gin Pills will give others the relief they have given me, they will be a blessing indeed."

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SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, Oct. 25.—Setting what company officials claim is a new company record, the Panama Pacific liner *California* arrived here early yesterday from San Pedro after having made the run in twenty-one hours and fifty minutes. The *Mongolia*, in command of Capt. A. A. Gandy, called in at San Pedro on the way around from the east coast. It was learned on the arrival of the vessel that Ernest Prince, former chief engineer of the *Mongolia*, is not to sail as chief engineer of the new liner *California*, but has been assigned to the second ship scheduled to be built for the California-New York run of the Panama Pacific Line.

John E. Cushing, vice-president and traffic manager of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, who has been visiting east coast cities, reported on his arrival here yesterday that a decided improvement in the westbound coast-to-coast cargo movement is beginning to manifest itself. He added that there is much interest among shipping people on the East Coast as to the attitude of the Shipping Board toward the sale of the transpacific services, which is now under consideration.

Carrying out a large list of passengers and a capacity cargo, the *Nippon* Taisen, steamer *Shinyo Maru*, Capt. D. Aoshima, called to-day for the Orient by way of Honolulu.

"Don't forget Poppy Ball, Empress Hotel, November 10."

PRINCESS ELAINE LAUNCHED TO-DAY

New C.P.R. Ferry Steamer For Nanaimo-Vancouver Run Takes Water

With ideal weather conditions prevailing, the *Princess Elaine*, new ferry steamer for the Canadian Pacific Railway service between Nanaimo and Vancouver, was successfully launched to-day at the yards of John Brown & Company, Clydebank. This information was contained in a cable received this morning by Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service.

Mrs. Madeline Day, married daughter of Grant Hall, vice-president of the company, was sponsor at the launching. The length of the *Elaine* is 291 feet with a forty-eight-foot beam and sixteen-foot depth. She has ample and luxurious accommodation for about 1,200 passengers, and her fine decks will afford wide promenade space. Special attention has been paid in the construction of the vessel to ensure ease in embarkation and disembarkation of passengers and automobiles. She has an eleven-foot gap between decks for the transportation of cars, and with the clearance thus obtained trucks can be loaded without dismounting, a facility which will prove valuable to island and mainland shippers.

The *Princess Elaine*, which cost in the neighborhood of \$583,000, will be delivered early next year.

Catch of Lunenburg Fleet For 1927 Is Below Last Season

Halifax, Oct. 25.—The total catch of the Lunenburg fishing fleet for 1927 was estimated to-day at 227,990 quintals, which was 115,140 lower than for the same period last year. Fewer vessels were engaged in the fisheries than during the previous years and the fleet was decreased during the season by the loss of four schooners with all hands. The estimated value of the catch was \$1,500,000, a decrease of about \$500,000 from last year's catch.

Silk to Go East on Intercoastal Vessel

Seattle, Oct. 25.—Instead of rushing silk east by train a part of the silk cargo of the steamer *Fuji Maru*, due Wednesday, will be sent to New York by an intercoastal steamer as an experiment, it was announced here yesterday. In addition to silk the *Fuji Maru* brings 1,000 tons of creosote from China and general Oriental cargo.

The *Grace* liner *Capac* arrived yesterday from the west coast of South America, with First Officer E. C. Genereux on the bridge, making his second voyage in command while Capt. A. C. Paulsen is on the sick list at San Francisco.

CANADIAN-CZECH TREATY IS DRAFTED

Parliament to be Asked to Ratify Trade Pact With Republic

Ottawa, Oct. 25.—Parliament probably will be asked at the coming session to ratify a trade agreement between Canada and Czechoslovakia. Negotiations, it was learned to-day, are now well under way for a trade treaty between the two countries on the basis of mutual exchange of most favored nation treatment.

At present a provisional agreement only for the regulation of trade relations is in effect. This provisional arrangement, signed shortly before Christmas last, will expire next Spring. Under the terms of the provisional treaty now in force, Canada extends to the products of the Czechoslovakian Republic the rates of the intermediate tariff. Czechoslovakia in return extends most favored nation treatment to selected list of Canadian products comprising in all seventy-one items of the Czechoslovakian customs tariff.

NEW PLAN TO BRING B.C. THOUSANDS OF CITIZENS ANNOUNCED

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ment has already greatly cut down the percentage of licenses issued to Orientals.

"Up to now the trouble has been that the farmers have wanted only experienced labor from Great Britain," said Mr. Robbins. "Our view, based on our survey of conditions throughout the country, is that the inexperienced labor, in point of fact, is more valuable. The trouble is that the experienced British farmer is that he is set in his methods and it is difficult for him to change his British ideas to suit agricultural conditions in this country. The unskilled man we have in mind, a type of fellow who is willing to work hard, has nothing to unlearn. In fact, he has to be taught all that is necessary to make him useful."

"It is our hope that in laying the facts before the Government when we go to Victoria shortly they will co-operate with us in the scheme. The first step necessary is the education of the farmers to the realization that inexperienced labor will be of value to them."

Mr. Robbins pointed out that as long as Canada expected to get only skilled agriculturists from Great Britain, the immigration of the British farmer into Canada from Great Britain would be a very little immigration. The British Isles could spare fewer than 5,000 farmers a year, he said.

MOVEMENT OF 1924
Mr. Robbins recalled the harvest immigration scheme of 1924, when steamship companies were asked to recruit 15,000 immigrants in less than three months.

"It is believed in some quarters that the harvest immigration effort of 1924 was a failure," he stated, "but in my opinion it was a success. In the short time at our disposal for gathering the immigrants we had no time to pick and choose. Almost anyone was accepted. Despite the haphazard methods we were obliged to adopt only eight per cent of the 14,000 men the steamship companies sent to Canada were afterwards deported, which means that Canada gained upwards of 13,000 citizens through that movement."

"We have an unlimited number of people in the Old Country who are willing to emigrate to Canada, but, according to the Canadian farmer, they are not of the right type," declared Mr. Robbins, manager of colonization for the White Star Line, with headquarters at London, England, who is a visitor in the city to-day.

Mr. Robbins, with a party of White Star officials, will remain in Victoria until this afternoon, when he will leave for Seattle. Among the party to arrive here this morning were the following: L. S. Tobin, passenger manager at Montreal; Major R. G. Parkhurst, British Columbia representative of the White Star Line, with headquarters at Vancouver, and F. G. Holland, assistant to Major Parkhurst.

The Canadian farmer wants experienced help and this cannot be supplied by the Old Country, Mr. Robbins stated. The White Star line, in touch with hundreds of the laboring class who are perfectly willing to come out to Canada but they are not wanted on account of their inexperience in farm work, Mr. Robbins declared.

The agricultural people of Great Britain are the hardest people in the world to move from their native land, as, being perfectly satisfied with present conditions, they do not want to

SOUTHERN PACIFIC PASSENGER HEAD IS VISITOR HERE TO-DAY

On a periodical tour of inspection John M. Scott, assistant passenger traffic manager for Southern Pacific Lines, with offices at Portland, is in the city to-day visiting local transportation men. Mr. Scott is accompanied by Albert M. Bryant, representative of the line at Vancouver.

RESTORER BACK FROM HONOLULU

Bound back from his station at the Ogden Point pier after completing repairs to the Pacific cable near Honolulu, the cableship *Restorer*, Capt. Fleming, arrived off Race Point at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The vessel is expected to dock about 4 o'clock.

take a chance in a strange country. Those people of Great Britain who do wish to come out to this Dominion are willing to work hard and are anxious to learn Canadian ways, the visitor stated.

Speaking on conditions in the prairie provinces, through which he has just passed, Mr. Robbins said that Alberta has experienced a most successful year, while conditions are fair in Saskatchewan but not so good in Manitoba. Mr. Robbins has been in Canada for the past two months and after visiting Seattle will return to Vancouver from where he will leave en route for London, being due back there in December.

Canadian Farmer Arrived To-day

The C.G.M.M. freighter *Canadian Farmer* arrived at the Ogden Point piers this morning at 7 o'clock from California ports. The vessel after discharging 175 tons of cargo here sailed for Vancouver about noon.

French Cruiser to Visit San Francisco On Goodwill Cruise

San Francisco, Oct. 25.—The French cruiser *Pyramus*, one of the fastest and most modern war vessels in the French navy, is scheduled to arrive here late Saturday from Honolulu, completing a goodwill cruise from her base port, Manille, in the French consul announced here yesterday. The cruiser, which is 600 feet long and displaces less than 8,000 tons, will remain here for a few days before starting on the homeward trip. The vessel is scheduled to call in at San Diego on her way down the coast.

Carrying a capacity cargo and 330 passengers of all classes aboard, the N.Y.K. liner *Shinyo Maru* sailed from here yesterday for the transpacific ports. The passenger list included Baron T. Shiba, member of the House of Peers of Japan, and N. Sakenobu, former Japanese Minister to Chile, who has been called home for promotion to a higher post.

Four towstays from Seattle came into port here yesterday aboard the oil tanker *Olympic*. They were put ashore at Meigs Wharf and allowed to go by their own way. Also learned here yesterday that two towstays were brought in from Honolulu on the Red Stach tug *Sea Lion*, Monday.

The Union Line steamship *Makura* from Australia and the N.Y.K. liner *Siberia Maru* from the Orient are due to arrive here early Friday.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAILS

October, 1927

Tokyo (Japan only)—Mails close Oct. 18, 12 noon; due at Yokohama Nov. 2. London (England only)—Mails close Oct. 19, 11 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 4. Peking (China only)—Mails close Oct. 20, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 6. Shanghai (China only)—Mails close Oct. 20, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Nov. 12. Australia and New Zealand (via San Francisco)—Mails close Oct. 24, 4 p.m.; due at Wellington Oct. 24. New Zealand (via San Francisco)—Mails close Oct. 24, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney Oct. 27. New Zealand (via San Francisco)—Mails close Oct. 24, 4 p.m.; due at Auckland Nov. 2. Sydney Nov. 12. Sierra (via San Francisco, Australia only)—Mails close Oct. 24, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney Nov. 17. Sierra (via Vancouver, Australia only)—Mails close Oct. 24, 11 p.m.; due at Sydney Nov. 20.

Makura (via San Francisco)—Mails close Oct. 30, 4 p.m.; due at Wellington Nov. 3. Sydney Nov. 24.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer daily at 2.15 p.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2.00 p.m.

For Seattle

Soi Duo leaves daily at 10.15 a.m., except Sunday.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.30 p.m.
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 1.15 p.m.
Soi Duo arrives daily at 9.30 a.m., except Sunday.

West Coast Route

B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria at 11 o'clock, *Princess Masuina*, calling at points as far as Port Alice, sailing on first, eleventh and twentieth of each month.

Portland Canal Route

Canadian National: On Thursdays at 6 p.m. from Vancouver for Neww. B. and Hyder, Alaska.
Union Steamships: Every Friday from Vancouver at 10 p.m. for Prince Rupert, Aprax, Stewart, etc.

Princess Rupert Route

Union Steamships: Every Tuesday at 5 p.m. and every Friday at 5 p.m. from Vancouver at 8 a.m. for Harb. B. and Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National: On Mondays and Thursdays at 2 a.m. from Vancouver.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route
Canadian National: Weekly service from Vancouver.
Observatory Island Route
Canadian National: On Mondays at 5 p.m. from Vancouver for Aprax, B.C.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN SAILS FOR ORIENT

Last Sailing in Old Schedule Took Place When Liner Departed Last Night

As the last sailing in the old schedule of the joint service of the American Mail Line and the Dollar Steamship Line, the liner *President Lincoln*, Capt. H. L. Jones, sailed from Victoria for the Far East at 6 o'clock last night.

The new schedule will be instituted with the sailing of the steamship *President Madras* from this port at 6 o'clock Monday, November 7, instead of 6 o'clock Tuesday, November 8. In the future there will be a sailing every other Monday at 6 o'clock instead of every other Tuesday at 6 o'clock. Ships of the fleet will arrive every other Monday as at present.

The *President Lincoln* had nearly 400 passengers aboard, while a capacity cargo was carried.

Major Longstaff Gives History of Esquimalt Station

Under the auspices of the Othello Ladies' Guild, Major F. V. Longstaff gave an illustrated lecture last night in the Memorial Hall on the history of the Esquimalt naval station.

Outlining the early history of the coast from the arrival of Capt. Cook at Nootka in 1778, the speaker sketched from the days of Governor Sir George Simpson, to the charting of the entrance to the Strait by the *Herby* and the brig *Pandora*. Slides were shown of Rear Admiral Fairfax Moresby, the first Admiral to enter Esquimalt Harbor, and of Capt. John Moresby, who entered the navy in 1842 and was a midshipman on the *America* and later a gunnery mate on the *Thetis* in 1852. Major Longstaff concluded his lecture by showing pictures of H.M.S. Hood and *Republie* on their visit here and of H.M.S. Curlew on her departure from this port in 1926.

SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, Oct. 25.—The wooden hull of the *Vancouver*, built to carry supplies to the American army in France, will end her days as a sand and gravel plant off Lake Washington. The work of conveying gravel in under way and the hull is soon to be moored on the bottom of the lake to begin its work as a dredging and lifting plant.

The steamship *Mystic* of the McCormick Intercoastal service, with 1,000 cases of assorted goods as part of her cargo, is due at Seattle November 3 from North Atlantic ports, breaking the record formerly held by the *Munaires*.

Porto Rico will be tried out as a port of call for the next outward voyage of the steamship *Munbeaver* in the McCormick Intercoastal service, due here November 14, according to local headquarters. Heretofore McCormick ships have loaded for this point out of Bureka and San Francisco, but cargo has not been booked so far northward. The *Munbeaver* will lift lumber, rice, beans, dried fruit, canned salmon and general for the regular North Atlantic ports.

TIDE TABLE

October

Time of High and Low Water at Victoria, B.C., during October, 1927:

Date	High Water	Low Water	High Water	Low Water
1	10.49 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	10.49 a.m.	1.00 p.m.
2	10.38 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	10.38 a.m.	1.10 p.m.
3	10.27 a.m.	1.20 p.m.	10.27 a.m.	1.20 p.m.
4	10.16 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	10.16 a.m.	1.30 p.m.
5	10.05 a.m.	1.40 p.m.	10.05 a.m.	1.40 p.m.
6	9.54 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	9.54 a.m.	1.50 p.m.
7	9.43 a.m.	2.00 p.m.	9.43 a.m.	2.00 p.m.
8	9.32 a.m.	2.10 p.m.	9.32 a.m.	2.10 p.m.
9	9.21 a.m.	2.20 p.m.	9.21 a.m.	2.20 p.m.
10	9.10 a.m.	2.30 p.m.	9.10 a.m.	2.30 p.m.
11	8.59 a.m.	2.40 p.m.	8.59 a.m.	2.40 p.m.
12	8.48 a.m.	2.50 p.m.	8.48 a.m.	2.50 p.m.
13	8.37 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	8.37 a.m.	3.00 p.m.
14	8.26 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	8.26 a.m.	3.10 p.m.
15	8.15 a.m.	3.20 p.m.	8.15 a.m.	3.20 p.m.
16	8.04 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	8.04 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
17	7.53 a.m.	3.40 p.m.	7.53 a.m.	3.40 p.m.
18	7.42 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.42 a.m.	3.50 p.m.
19	7.31 a.m.	4.00 p.m.	7.31 a.m.	4.00 p.m.
20	7.20 a.m.	4.10 p.m.	7.20 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
21	7.09 a.m.	4.20 p.m.	7.09 a.m.	4.20 p.m.
22	6.58 a.m.	4.30 p.m.	6.58 a.m.	4.30 p.m.
23	6.47 a.m.	4.40 p.m.	6.47 a.m.	4.40 p.m.
24	6.36 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	6.36 a.m.	4.50 p.m.
25	6.25 a.m.	5.00 p.m.	6.25 a.m.	5.00 p.m.
26	6.14 a.m.	5.10 p.m.	6.14 a.m.	5.10 p.m.
27	6.03 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	6.03 a.m.	5.20 p.m.
28	5.52 a.m.	5.30 p.m.	5.52 a.m.	5.30 p.m.
29	5.41 a.m.	5.40 p.m.	5.41 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
30	5.30 a.m.	5.50 p.m.	5.30 a.m.	5.50 p.m.
31	5.19 a.m.	6.00 p.m.	5.19 a.m.	6.00 p.m.

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Oct. 26, Noon—Weather: Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.87; 50; light swell. Pachena—Overcast; northeast; light; 29.88; 40; sea moderate. Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 80.05; 45; sea smooth.

Longshoremen Ask For Wage Increase

Saint John, N.B., Oct. 25.—The International Longshoremen's Association has requested an increase of ten cents an hour and better working conditions. This request has been sent to shipping interests. A wage commission will meet the shipping men this week to discuss the matter.

The longshoremen's agreement for the 1926-27 season expires on December 1, when a new agreement will go into effect. At present members of the association receive 65 cents an hour for regular cargo and 75 cents an hour for handling grain.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of October, 1927:

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:15	5:50
2	6:16	5:49
3	6:17	5:48
4	6:18	5:47
5	6:19	5:46
6	6:20	5:45
7	6:21	5:44
8	6:22	5:43
9	6:23	5:42
10	6:24	5:41
11	6:25	5:40
12	6:26	5:39
13	6:27	5:38
14	6:28	5:37
15	6:29	5:36
16	6:30	5:35
17	6:31	5:34
18	6:32	5:33
19	6:33	5:32
20	6:34	5:31
21	6:35	5:30
22	6:36	5:29
23	6:37	5:28
24	6:38	5:27
25	6:39	5:26
26	6:40	5:25
27	6:41	5:24
28	6:42	5:23
29	6:43	5:22
30	6:44	5:21
31	6:45	5:20

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BROWNIES HONORED B.C. COMMISSIONER

Miss E. F. Mara Guest at De-
lightful Guide Function
Yesterday

Brownies land threw wide its gates yesterday afternoon to welcome Miss E. F. Mara, provincial commissioner of Girl Guides for British Columbia. To Brownies' revels arranged in honor of her approaching marriage, by the 6th Victoria (Gonzales) Pack and their Brown Owl, Mrs. L. A. George, in Redfern Street Hall. The 1st Victoria, 2nd Victoria and 5th Victoria (Esquimalt) Packs were also present in full force.

On her arrival Miss Mara was greeted with a special song of good wishes culminating in the grand salute. The hostess pack then took charge. Prince Charming, personated by Betty Slater, a first-class Brownie, attired in spruce blue satin with plumed cavalier hat, made his bow, and first blindfolding the guest of honor, led her to a throne where she was seated and straightway turned into a fairy princess and invested with royal robes and crown by a beautiful little fairy with iridescent butterfly wings, impersonated by Gloria Wilson. Elves, fairies, gnomes and pixies each in turn danced up to the throne and their leaders presented small gifts with appropriate rhymes, then formed in a fairy ring and joined once more in dance and song.

2nd Victoria Pack expressed their good wishes in merry dance and song also, then lining up two by two and prodding Miss Mara bearing banners in which joy, happiness, peace, leisure and all good and desirable things they wished her, were specified. 1st Victoria Pack entertained her with a pretty action song and dance. 5th Victoria (Esquimalt) Brownies serenaded the guest of honor with a bird song and gave their own parting pack cry in her honor, afterwards presenting their offering, the leaders reciting explanatory verses.

Presentations ended Prince Charming and the Princess (Miss Mara) led the way to the tea tables, where a most delicious repast was partaken of.

Games and dances occupied the remainder of the afternoon, interludes being assured by delightful fairy stories told most engagingly by Mrs. A. B. Cooke and Miss Stewart-Williams and listened to with enthralled interest by the eighty Brownies present.

The arrival of Miss Mara's fiancé, Mr. Alan Mortill, was the signal for another pretty ceremony, in which the Gonzales Pack took part. A presentation was made of an address in rhyme, beautifully illuminated by Mrs. George and suitably framed.

Miss Mara thanked the Brownies and Brown and Tawny Owls for all their good wishes and pretty gifts and assured them that her visit to Brownie land was one of the jolliest experiences she had ever had. Amid hearty cheers the guests of honor took their departure, escorted by the pack mascot, wee Elizabeth Angus. Before departing the Brownies searched the hall for gifts left for them by the ladies in the shape of brightly colored packages of candies.

Among the Guides present were Miss Hilda Leighton, division commissioner; Mrs. L. A. George, district commissioner; Mrs. Curtis Sampson, president of the Guide association; Miss Stewart-Williams, Mrs. R. P. Matheson, Miss Henslowe, Brown Owl, Miss Thompson, Miss Langley, Miss Shaw, Tawny Owl; Miss Goward, district secretary; Guides Peggy and Joan Thomas and Mrs. A. B. Cooke. The following ladies kindly assisted in serving tea: Medeanne Little, C. Wilson, Alexander, Pigott, Musgrave, Shaw, V. E. Thomas and Mrs. Woods (California).

Shawnigan Lake

Shawnigan Lake, Oct. 26.—At Shawnigan Lake United Church on Monday evening the ladies held a social evening, when recitations, readings and games, followed by refreshments, constituted the programme. Mrs. J. Ford, Mrs. G. Gibson and Mrs. J. Medland served on the refreshment committee, while Mrs. W. Perry and Miss Jackie Radlett also rendered good service. W. Perry had the games in hand, giving also a paper on several phases of army life. Miss Ethel Hunt, Miss Dorothy Perry and little Miss Brooks favored the gathering with recitations. The audience pronounced the gathering a social success, and the ladies and gentlemen intend putting on another one shortly. There will then be several novel competitions.

Luxton

Luxton, Oct. 26.—A lantern lecture will be given on Thursday evening by Mr. Raper of Victoria in the Reformed Episcopal Church at Happy Valley, commencing at 7 p.m. All are invited. After the lecture a meeting will be held to discuss the heating of the church and the proposed purchase of a furnace.

A card party will be held at "Mandalay," the home of Mrs. R. Brown, Happy Valley, under the auspices of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute on Saturday, November 5 at 8 p.m. Good prizes will be given and a good attendance is expected. A cordial invitation is issued to all friends to attend.

College Hallowe'en Ball.—The students of Victoria College will hold their annual masquerade and Hallowe'en ball on Friday evening, October 28, at the college. Hunt's orchestra will supply the music. Fancy dress is optional. Outsiders can attend the affair only by special invitation.

Municipal Chapter.—Municipal Chapter, I.O.E., draws to the notice of all members of the order the coming superfluity sale to be held by the Rotary Club in aid of the Solarium, and asks them to give this object their assistance in any way they can.

Tuberculous Veterans W.A.—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association will be held in the club rooms, corner "Lantern" and Yates Streets, Thursday, October 27. All members are requested to attend.

Planning Bazaar.—The ladies of Court MacLean O.E. are invited to a social afternoon at the Foresters' Hall to-morrow afternoon for the purpose of making further arrangements for their coming annual bazaar to be held in the near future.

Home Cooking Sale.—The Esquimalt sub-division of the Catholic Women's League will hold a home cooking sale in David Spencer's Limited on Saturday morning.

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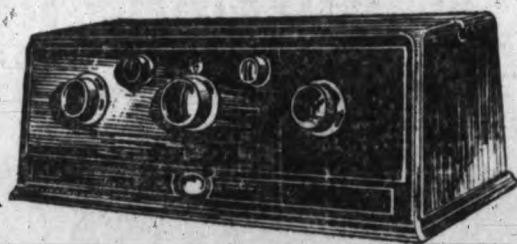
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Mr. Longfield also appeared in the
duet roles of organist and violinist,
opening the programme with the dra-
matic organ numbers, "Alpine Fan-
tasia and Storm" (Flagler) and giving
as the finale Pearce's "Offertoire in G
Minor," and during the evening played
as a violin solo, Newton's "Meditation,"
with Miss Brown at the organ.

Mrs. Arthur Dowell, gold medalist of
the recent B.C. Musical Festival, sang
"Verdure Clad" (Haydn) and
Gounod's "O Divine Redeemer" with
bell-like sweetness and devotional feel-
ing. George Guy, tenor, artistically in-
terpreted the solos, "These Are They"
(Nichols), "The Way of Peace" (Lloyd)
and Pridmore Scott's "The Voice in the
Wilderness," and A. W. Trevett, baritone,
gave much pleasure with his solo,
"Trust Ye in the Lord."

At the close of the programme the
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NEWS IN BRIEF

J. H. Songster and the Veterans' Sightseeing Company were each fined \$5 in the city police court this morning for failing to display the necessary tail light on an automobile.

Hector Turner, charged in the city police court this morning with the theft of \$105 from, Johns Wong, a Chinaman, and arrested by Detectives Phipps and Stark, was remanded for one week by Magistrate Jay.

A tea and sale of work under the auspices of the Young Women's Auxiliary and Junior Mission Band will be held in the Gordon Head Hall on Friday, October 28, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Joseph Rose, local optometrist, will deliver a lecture this evening over Radio Station CFCT at 8.30 o'clock on the "Care of the Eyes." The subject of this particular talk will be "Conservation of Vision."

Operators of gasoline and oil service stations will hold a special meeting this evening at Temple Hall, North Park Street at 8 o'clock when the question of retailing gasoline and oil will be discussed.

On Tuesday next, A. D. Taylor, K.C. of Vancouver, will lecture on Kipling, before the members of the Royal Society of St. George. The meeting will be held in the Conservative Club Rooms, Campbell Building, at 8 p.m.

A grand concert will be given on November 8, at the Metropolitan United Church, at 8 o'clock. Many well-known artists will take part in the programme. The concert will be under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society.

A deputation of Cloverdale residents will this evening wait on the Saanich School Board and present a largely signed protest against proposed transportation of fifty infants to Lake Hill School. Medical Officer Dr. Berman having condemned the lighting of two basement rooms at Cloverdale School, a majority of the board is believed to favor closing these rooms, as preferable to installation of modern indirect artificial lights.

W.B.A. Masquerade—A masquerade under the auspices of the W.B.A. will be held in the S.O.E. Hall, View Street, on October 28, for children from 6 to 8.30, and adults from 8.30 to 11.30. Dancing will be to the strains of Holt's orchestra. Prizes will be given for the best dressed and best costume. Best advertisement, best Halloween comic, period and most original costumes. Refreshments will be served and a good time is assured. Tickets may be had at the Royal Theatre.

Figures published by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for building totals in Canada for the first nine months of this year show a gain of \$22,000,000 in the value of work undertaken in that period, compared with the first nine months of last year. Sixty-three cities contributed figures showing an aggregate gain of \$14,410,212 in building permits throughout Canada for September this year over last. Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver showed notable increases, while Victoria's September figures this year were \$71,290 for the month, compared with \$31,287 last year.

W. A. Gleason, alderman of Victoria during the boom days, dropped into the city for a short time yesterday and then sailed with Mrs. Gleason on the liner President Lincoln for Yokohama, where he will remain for two years in charge of the building of the new Ford motor plant there under the H. K. Ferguson interests. Mr. Gleason left Victoria early in the war and was engaged in war activities in England. Then he went to the United States, where with the Ferguson people he was associated in the construction of office buildings in Cleveland and other cities.

For the third year in succession the Fairfield United Church has engaged the services of Miss Theresa Siegel of Calgary, to give a dramatic and elocutionary recital on Friday evening, October 28. Miss Siegel has established herself as one of the leading elocutionary entertainers on the North American continent. She graduated from the highest centre of learning in Canada and the United States, and in every one of her performances she demonstrates outstanding ability in her profession. Miss Siegel will give her recital of a miscellaneous programme on Friday night in the Fairfield Church, and will be assisted by Mrs. T. C. Phillips, Major Pirth and Dr. W. Bryce.

"Don't forget Poppy Ball, Empress Hotel, November 10."

CONTESTANTS BUSY ON PRIZE LETTERS

Although the closing date is not until November 15, competitors are already busy in the letter writing contest for the \$50, \$30 and \$20 prizes which are being offered to boys and girls of Victoria for the best 300-word messages on "Why the Laundry Should Do My Washing" by the New Method Laundry. This local contest is being run simultaneously with the international \$30,000 prize letter contest for persons of all ages.

Copies of the specially prepared booklets to aid contestants are being sent out upon telephone or mail application to the New Method at 947 North Park Street.

RESULTS

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HON. E. D. BARROW ADDRESSES FOX BREEDERS HERE

Minister of Agriculture
Quotes Figures Showing
B.C. Industry Growth

"It is my opinion that fox-raising will increase very rapidly in the coming years and that it is bound to become one of British Columbia's leading industries," said Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, in a short address given at the get-together luncheon of the Vancouver Island Fox Breeders' Association held today in Spencer's dining-room. Dr. Barrow quoted some interesting figures regarding the fox industry in the Province. He said there were 2,700 silver foxes registered in British Columbia, and that nearly \$1,000,000 worth of fur-bearing animals were located in the Province. The figures are really marvelous, said Mr. Barrow, since the fur industry has only been carried on in British Columbia during the last seven years.

Dr. Dunbar, who represents British Columbia in the Canadian National Fox Farm Association in Prince Edward Island, also spoke. Dr. Dunbar said he believed that the fur industry in British Columbia was really beginning, and that, if the breeders would only have faith, fur raising would become a most important and profitable industry in British Columbia. In concluding his talk Dr. Dunbar congratulated the Island breeders on the excellent show which they had assembled here.

Other speakers included Dr. D. W. Warlock, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, M. D. McDonald and H. L. Clippham. Rev. M. Bruce, president of the association, acted as chairman and read telegrams of congratulation from breeders in the Eastern United States and Canada.

H. H. Hollins delighted the luncheon guests with a humorous recitation.

MOISTREL SHOW TO HAVE MANY SOLOISTS

Gifted Singers Will Appear on
Programme at Royal Vic-
toria Theatre

The humorous side of trench life in Flanders forms the ground work of a delightful and mirror-provoking sketch which will occupy the first part of the performance of the Kiwanis Minstrel show to be given in the Royal Victoria Theatre November 21, 22 and 23.

"You see, it's coming along fine and the members have been working like Trojans to put over the best presentation yet," says Director Carl Stocker.

Carl also announced that all of the black crowns taking part in the show are hundred per cent Kiwanians. A southern play will be presented yesterday, it is claimed, will eclipse all other performances ever staged in this city.

The big chorus of forty black crowns will include Lou Conyers, William Jacques, Ernest Butterworth, William Smedley and Tom Kelway as chief soloists. The end men will be Jack Trace, Dave MacFarlane, Tom Kelway and Carl Stocker. In the orchestra pit Cecil Heaton and his musicians will supply the music for the show.

Tom Kelway, who brought the crowd on their toes, is the chief soloist of the forty black crowns.

OBITUARY

The funeral of Mrs. Joan Stewart, who passed away at the family residence, 316 Comberford Street, last Saturday evening took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. W. J. Keir, Rev. J. S. Patterson officiated. Relatives and many friends were present and the floral tributes were many and beautiful. The hymn sung was "Abide With Me" and "Nearer God to Thee." Mrs. J. S. Patterson sang the solo entitled "The City Four Square." Mr. Fraser, D. Hodnett, G. Williamson, J. McVie, M. McDuff and J. Bayard acted as pallbearers and the remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Many attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Blakeway of 637 Niagara Street yesterday. Services were conducted at 3.30 o'clock at the Sands Funeral Chapel, when relatives and a large gathering of friends were present including a large representative from the Ladies Aid Society of the James Bay United Church, of which the late Mrs. Blakeway was a valued member. The many beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem that Mrs. Blakeway was held. Rev. Thomas Keyworth and Rev. C. M. Tait officiated and the pallbearers were W. Kay, A. W. Elliott, D. R. Bremner, Geo. Scales, P. W. Davey and D. A. Henry. The remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

The funeral of William J. Johnson took place yesterday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Home, Rev. P. A. P. Chadwick, assisted by Rev. Henry Knox, officiating. Many friends attended the service and the casket was covered with beautiful floral tributes. A solo was sung by Mrs. Morton, "O Rest in Thee." The hymn sung was "The Soldier's Song." The soloist acted as pallbearer: J. M. Nesbitt, J. Thomas, W. Niblock, E. Jones, G. Bennett and H. H. MacLure. Interment was made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

The death took place in the Vancouver General Hospital last Friday from pneumonia of William MacKay, aged thirty-four years, fourth son of the late William and Annie MacKay of 225 Millside, assisted by the late Mrs. MacKay is survived by his mother, seven brothers, and three sisters. The funeral took place this morning, the corpse leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 9.30 o'clock. Ten minutes later mass was celebrated at St. Andrew's Cathedral by the Rev. Father Evans and the remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery.

MAKES FLYING CALL ON VICTORIA BY AIR FROM JERICHO BEACH

Charles D. Brown, Canadian manager of C. C. Wakefield & Company Limited, in the West on a tour establishing agencies for the oil distribution of Castrol Motor Oil, dropped in on Victoria for an hour to-day by the air route. Capt. E. E. W. Dobbin piloted the Dominion Airways seaplane that made a neat landing at Shoal Bay, fifty minutes out from Jericho Beach, Vancouver. After spending an hour in Victoria on business Mr. Brown returned to the mainland, much pleased with the air route as a means of travel.

REALTORS SUPPORT CITY'S MOVE TO DISPOSE OF LANDS

Opening of Office Where Vic-
toria's Civic Lands Will Be
on Sale, Approved

The Victoria Real Estate Board is in entire accord with the plan of the city to open a downtown business office to sell city land. It was divulged at the meeting of the body to-day that James Forhan made the assertion to clear up what he termed an erroneous suggestion to the effect that realtors would oppose such a move. The board expressed its approval and wished their attitude given publicity.

When Harold Brown broached the question of the advisability of conducting another city land auction sale, he found the board absolutely opposed to such a move.

Announcement was made by A. R. Wolfenden of the Real Estate Board at its meeting to-day that the executive committee had approved the plan to open a downtown business office to sell city land.

SEPTEMBER REAL ESTATE SALES OVER \$188,000

Realtors Hear of Sale of
Seventy Parcels in Thirty
Days

Real estate sales returns from twenty firms of the city for September issued at the meeting of the Victoria Real Estate Board to-day totaled \$188,000. The figure was made up as follows: Dwelling houses, \$100,825; lots, \$13,782; business property, \$20,050 and acreage, \$53,415.

September's returns were made on novel forms which showed where the individual sales took place. In Victoria, out of a total of approximately seventy reported sales, thirty odd parcels changed hands.

Alfred Carmichael announced that at the end of the next month when the Victoria City Times was held, he had come to the conclusion that an "Own Your Own Home" booth would be an excellent scheme to provide proper publicity for realtors, and he invited the co-operation of four other agents to make it a success.

The board unanimously stood behind Mr. Carmichael's suggestion, voted him a portion of the expenses which will be entailed, and promised him support. The move would benefit the profession as a whole, Frederick Landsberg declared.

RABBI ELECTED TO LOCAL SYNAGOGUE

Jack Levy of London to Take
Charge of Temple E-Manu-El

Rabbi Jack Levy, said to be the youngest rabbi on the American continent, has been appointed to take charge of Temple E-Manu-El, the new synagogue which will open its doors to-day. Levy was appointed to the position by the board of directors of the synagogue, which was organized last year. Levy is a native of London, England, where he was born and educated. He graduated from the London University in 1921 with his Arts degree and since then has held various offices under the auspices of the chief rabbi of the British Empire, Dr. Heris.

Four of his uncles were ordained rabbis, two of them having held important positions in England for many years. His maternal grandfather also held a rabbinical position under the United Synagogue of England. He is not, however, the first member of the family to come to Canada; an uncle who was an ordained rabbi, having lived for some time at Alameda, Saskatchewan, where he also holds the office of magistrate.

Although services have been held at the local synagogue for the last four years, Rabbi Levy is the first permanent pastor, succeeding Rabbi Levson and the late Dr. Friedlander, both of whom came to the city only during times of Jewish festivals.

MOTOR FATALITY ACCIDENTAL, IS INQUEST VERDICT

Leslie Schubert Held Blame-
less For Frank Goodwin's
Death

Passenger in Overturned Car
Relates Story of Collision

His face bruised and scarcely healed following the collision on Monday evening at the corner of Yates and Quadra Streets, where Frank Goodwin of Vancouver met his death, David Seaton, who was the companion of the dead driver, related the circumstances of the accident at the inquest at Sands Funeral Parlors this morning. When all the testimony of the various witnesses had been received, the jury retired and brought back a verdict of accidental death.

Seaton went to his chair at the side of the coroner's table slowly and with difficulty aided by crutches. He and Goodwin, witness related, had been driving west on Yates Street after having taken two persons in their roadster to their home near the corner of Cook and Yates Streets. They were talking together, he said, and he was looking straight ahead when suddenly he caught sight of an automobile practically upon them. There was a crash.

"We went over like a flash," said Seaton. Asked whether he had any idea of the speed of the cars, Seaton said he had not. Questioned a second time by Chief of Police Fry, witness said the Goodwin car might have been traveling twenty miles an hour, but not more. He could not say definitely.

RIGHT OF WAY
Coroner Dr. E. C. Hart asked witness if he knew that Schubert's car, coming south on Quadra Street, and with which Goodwin came into collision, had the right of way. A. D. Macfarlane, holding a watching brief, objected to the question. "That is a point of law," he said. Coroner Hart explained that he simply wanted to know whether witness was aware of the rule of the road. But he withdrew the question.

Chief Fry questioned witness as to where he and Goodwin had been before the accident and as to the speed of the car, without bringing out any suggestion of recklessness or possible cause of the accident.

SAW ROAD CLEAR

Leslie Schubert, driver of the second car in the collision, said that when he slowed down at the Yates Street intersection of Quadra, he looked both ways and saw the road was clear. He had driven about half or a quarter the way across the road when he saw the Ford car approaching from his left, realized an accident was unavoidable and jammed on his brakes.

Witness said his speed was about fifteen miles per hour. He did not recollect swerving to avoid the accident, but the position of his car after the impact would indicate that he did, he said.

Sergeant Thomas Heatley of the City Police Force, who arrived on the scene immediately following the smash, described the wreck and the manner in which he had cleared the road for traffic.

Inspector J. T. Boulton gave measurements of skid marks and the positions of the cars after the collision.

HEARD IMPACT

Patrick O'Connell of the Beggs Motor Company, Sidney Brazier, Robert Dunn, who was in the Jones' Bros. establishment, and Alfred Hughes all heard the crash and rushed to lend their aid at the scene of the disaster, but none actually saw the impact.

These witnesses told of having seen the smaller car turn two complete somersaults, the figure at the wheel hurtle to the pavement and his companion flung out upon the road.

The jury deliberated but a few minutes before bringing in its verdict. A recommendation that traffic should be forced to stop at intersections of this kind was added as a rider.

DEAD HEAT TO-RAY IN ENGLISH RACE

Medal and Niantic Even at
Finish of Contest at New-
market

Newmarket, Eng., Oct. 26.—Medal and Niantic ran a dead heat for first place in the eighty-ninth running of the Cambridge Handicap, the famous Fall handicap, run over the mile and one-furlong route here to-day. Medal is owned by Mrs. T. Cartwright and Niantic by L. Sharp. Both were outsiders in the betting.

A. K. Macomber's Insight II. was third. Twenty-one horses ran. A length separated Medal and Niantic, ridden by Cartwright and Stephenson, respectively, and Insight II, which was ridden by Thwaites. The betting was 20 to 1 against Medal, 25 to 1 against Niantic and 100 to 6 against Insight II.

The stakes were valued at £1,000, with extras.

SENATOR C. CURTIS ENTERS RACE FOR PRESIDENCY OF U.S.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas, Republican leader in the Senate, to-day entered the 1928 Republican race in the United States.

In a letter to R. L. Bone of Topeka, organizer of the Curtis-Jordan Club in Kansas, the senator wrote that "if my friends of Kansas desire to send a delegation to the next Republican National Convention, I shall be greatly pleased to be their candidate."

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decided to divide the stakes.
One of the surprises of the race was the defeat of the favorite, the German horse Weiss Dorn, owned by Baron A. Oppenheim. Large bets also were placed on Eagle's Pride, winner of the Cesarewitch Stakes.

THE START
Silver Lark led from the barrier, with Neera, Niantic, All's Blue, Orbindon and Insight II, we up, and Sun Yat Ben, Medal and Caustic a little back.

Weiss Dorn, four-to-one favorite, got away poorly.

Half way around, Orbindon and Insight II moved up. Orbindon taking the lead at the bushes, closely followed by Insight II, with Medal, Fohasaur, Niantic and Neera close up. Niantic and Medal came strongly in the run up the hill and passed Orbindon and Insight II. They burst to the wire neck and neck. Orbindon faded behind Insight II to take fourth place, with Fohasaur fifth.

Kitty III broke down and trailed the field.

The time recorded by Niantic and Medal was 1.52.

The race was worth about \$10,000.

MOTORIST LOST LIFE
Edmonton, Oct. 26.—Edward Mc-

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AT THE THEATRES

BILLIE DOVE IS
STAR OF PICTURE
AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Another star is introduced to the screen with "The Stolen Bride," the present feature attraction at the Playhouse Theatre.

This is Billie Dove, whose splendid screen work in the past few months caused officials of First National Pictures to advance her to stardom. Ambitious plans for the beautiful actress have been outlined by executives.

Where To Go To-night

Capitol—"The Chinese Parrot," Columbia—"The Speeding Venus," Dominion—"When a Man Loves," Playhouse—"The Stolen Bride," Coliseum—Vaudeville.

Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

DOMINION FILM
IS MAGNIFICENT
SCREEN TRIUMPH

Magnificent indeed is the Warner special, "When a Man Loves," now at the Dominion. The direction is by Alan Crosland who was responsible for the splendors of "Don Juan" and the story is laid in the golden age of France depicting the fabulous riches and unquenchable love.

"When a Man Loves" is a production to acclaim from the house.

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PANTOMIME WILL
APPEAR AT ROYAL

"Aladdin," Story of Arabian Nights, Will Be Here Nov. 2

"Aladdin," the first English pantomime to visit Canada, brought here by All-Canada Tours, will be presented at the Royal Theatre for four days commencing Wednesday, November 2 with a Saturday Matinee.

Numerous inquiries received at the theatre indicate that there is a widespread misapprehension as to the real nature of pantomime entertainment, many people apparently being under the impression that it is devoid of spoken lines or of songs. This is quite wrong. The English pantomime of to-day is remarkable for the number and timeliness of its songs, and the diverting nature of its dialogue, as well as for the charm of constantly changing scenes and costumes, while dancing is and always has been one of its strongest features. The twelve English Rosebuds will demonstrate "Aladdin" is based on the story from the Arabian Nights, and is interspersed with many topical allusions.

"CHINESE PARROT"
DIRECTOR FAMOUS
NOW THROUGH WORK

Paul Lenz, famous Continental director, who produced the Universal Jewel picture "The Chinese Parrot" is the current attraction at the Capital Theatre all this week, attained his present high position in the cinema world because he had enough faith in his own ideas to buck the traditions of European stage and studio technique.

He first strived to revolutionize stage sets ten years ago, and make them colorful. As a result the foreign press claimed he was subjugating action to settings but he stuck to his idea and in 1918 created a sensation with the release of his picture "Prinze Cuckoo" in Berlin. After that he was besieged with offers which were climaxed a year ago when he was placed under long-term contract by President Carl Laemmle of Universal and brought to this country.

His first picture under the Universal banner was the screen version of the famous mystery stage play "The Cat and the Canary." With this picture he again confounded the critics with his weird lighting effects and strange contrast and as a result was assigned to direct "The Chinese Parrot."

"The Chinese Parrot" is a fast-moving comedy melodrama dealing with the adventures of a girl in a cross-continent auto race and was written by Welford Beaton, brother of K.C.B. noted columnist. Robert Fraser is cast opposite the star, and Johnny Fox, Dale Fuller, Ripley and Charles Sellen have other important roles. Robert Thornby directed and Georges Benoit, A.S.C., was chief cinematographer.

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The military strength of the Allied nations, said the speaker, was more formidable and more destructive now than the 1914 armaments, and he asserted that the defeated powers' armies were most insignificant in comparison.

Turning his attention to Russia, the war-time British leader warned that when huge country emerges from its internal entanglements she will be the "most formidable country on earth."

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Mr. Lloyd George predicted the most terrible war in the world's history unless the nations made up their minds to seek justice and protection from established right and not from force.

Alluding to the recent naval disarmament conference, he termed it "an inconceivable calamity to the cause of peace and good will."

"If either Great Britain or the United States had said, 'War between Great Britain and the United States is so inconceivable that we will agree to any proposal so long as it reduces armaments,' what would have happened?" asked the former Premier. "You would have substituted mutual trust for mutual suspicion and pride between three of the greatest nations of the world, and none of the three would have built even to the limit of the agreement arrived at between them. And what an example it would have afforded other powers who have been foremost in haggling about insignificant chips and shavings in their colossal armies."

den musicians will take the platform after midnight.

Young, the famous expert in lighting effects, has worked for weeks on a scheme that will be unlike anything previously attempted. During the evening thousands of balloons will rain from the ceiling, and many will bear tags entitling the owner to a favor from the witch's cottage. There will be prizes for those who name the balloons whose faces will look down from the walls, the floor and the ceiling of the ballroom.

FINE RECITAL AT
UNITED CHURCH

Miss Muriel Lipsey and Local Artists in Programme

The Onwego Young Men's Bible class of First United Church held their eighth annual entertainment last evening, presenting Miss Muriel Lipsey of Vancouver, in "Peg-o-My-Heart," by J. Hartley Manners. Miss Adele Bucklin, violinist, Miss Mary Bucklin, cellist, Miss Velma Bucklin, pianist, and Miss Merle North, soprano, assisted the Onwegos in giving one of the finest programmes ever presented at First Church.

Miss Lipsey took all seven parts with great ease, the facility with which her voice changed from that of one character to another being almost marvelous. Although it was very difficult to choose between her interpretation of the various characters she was probably at her best in the role of the vicious but lovable "Peg," her Irish accent being particularly pleasing. At last evening's performance Miss Lipsey again demonstrated that she has won for herself a large place in the hearts of a Victoria audience.

The first number which Miss Adele Bucklin chose was the "Scene de Ballet," by De Beriot, she obliged the insistent demands for an encore with the ever-popular "Souvenir," by Dryda. Miss Mary Bucklin made a very good impression with her playing of Campanelli's "Romanze," and charmed her hearers with the "Gavotte," by David Popper. Miss Merle North, gold medalist at the last Victoria Musical Festival, delighted her audience in her singing of "The Jasmine Door," by A. Scott. Her encore number, "The Star" (Rodgers), was also very well received.

Praise is also due to Miss Velma Bucklin, whose accompaniment of the soloists had a large part in making their numbers ones to be remembered for beauty of tone and expression.

Rev. W. G. Wilson, M.A., D.D., acted as the chairman of the evening, and gave a brief but comprehensive review of the Onwego Young Men's Bible class and the work that they are doing. The proceeds of last evening's entertainment will go to the Onwego Christmas hamper fund, which every year does its part in the spreading of the "Good News" in a practical way.

LLOYD GEORGE WARNS
OF WAR DANGERS

London, Oct. 26.—The existence of great armaments will always threaten the League of Nations, former Premier Lloyd George declared in a speech here. He was the chief speaker Monday night at a meeting arranged by the League of Nations Union. The vast crowd filled the capacity of Queen's Hall and an overflow meeting was held.

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Mr. Lloyd George predicted the most terrible war in the world's history unless the nations made up their minds to seek justice and protection from established right and not from force.

ESQUIMALT TORIES
DECLARE LOYALTY
TO THEIR LEADER

Are Behind Tolmie, They Declare in Resolution; Chief Defends Course

Esquimalt Conservatives last night recorded their loyalty to Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Conservative Party leader, with a formal resolution passed at the annual meeting of the Conservative Association. The resolution of loyalty, proposed by Capt. W. J. Cox and seconded by S. R. Bowden, said:

"That the Conservatives of Esquimalt district take the opportunity presented at this annual meeting of reiterating their unswerving confidence in their leader, Dr. Tolmie, and of tendering him this expression of their united and continued support."

This resolution followed the upheaval in the Conservative organization of greater Victoria because of the efforts of leading Conservatives to persuade W. J. Bowser, K.C., former party leader, to return to public life as a candidate for the Legislature.

Dr. Tolmie addressed the Esquimalt Conservatives on the recent Nelson by-election, in which his party was defeated, and other matters. He attacked Premier Maclean for bringing this poll on at a time which prevented leading Conservatives from attending the national convention of their party in Winnipeg. Dr. H. W. L. Mackenzie King, Canadian Liberal Premier, who has the custody of such a practice, Dr. Tolmie said.

The Tory leader referred to the statement of Attorney-General Manson that he had been profligate in his election promises to Nelson.

"It could not be as profligate as the members of the Government in any event," he said. Defending his promise to build a bridge across Kootenay Lake, which with the construction of the Hope-Princeton Road, was his chief pledge to Nelson, Dr. Tolmie said he felt this project was justified and necessary.

He attacked the Government for exceeding expenditure estimates in many public works. He also criticized the Government for taking credit for the general industrial advance of the Province. Much of this development had occurred independently of the Government altogether, and would have been carried out whether the present administration were in office or not.

Dr. Tolmie defended himself for not seeking election to the Legislature. Not many offers of seats had been made to him, he said. In North Okanagan he had felt that a local man was needed to serve the special needs of the district. In any case, he said, he was not taking the advice of the Liberal Party on anything.

R. H. Pooley, Opposition Leader in the Legislature, declared the Conservative Party could settle its affairs without the help of the Liberals or of the Times. He reviewed his record of extravagance in Government road contracts, and said this had been proved in the course of the Nelson by-election campaign.

H. D. Twigg, M.P.P. of Victoria, denounced the claims of the Government in respect of social legislation. The Workmen's Compensation Act had been brought into effect by a Conservative Government, he said. Mother pension legislation had been endorsed by the Conservative Party convention in 1919 and brought down by the Liberals at the recent election of the Legislature. Votes for women had been made possible by the Conservatives also, while the eight-hour-day law had been forced upon the Government by Mayor E. J. Burdett. Independent Al. Berni. Major Burdett also had forced the passage of the Male Minimum Wage Act.

Those elected at the meeting were as follows: President, A. W. Sadler (re-elected); Vice-President, Frank Cook (by acclamation); Secretary-Treasurer, Capt. W. J. Cox (by acclamation); Executive members, C. H. Smyth, S. Thompson, S. R. Bowden, Mrs. Bowden, Miss Pooley, James Erick, Capt. R. P. Matheson, W. Wheatley, H. Nield and P. Wharf.

During the evening Mrs. Bowden rendered musical solos and Miss Jacklin gave piano solos.

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"Your suggestion was a wise one, Anna," she said graciously, as the maid paused at the other side of the small table. "Tell Parthenia the coffee is delicious."

"Yesum," Anna straightened her cap, which had been disarranged by her vigorous shaking of the elder woman's quilt before she folded it and placed it again on the foot of the couch. "Mose done gone out," she announced, dropping her arms to her side. "He suitin' is one triflin' man."

Mrs. Ruggles frowned. "When he returns, send him to me," she directed. "Mark, Anna, is that some one at the door?"

The maid darted across the room and opened the door leading into the main hallway and peered outside with some trepidation; her nerves were still on edge. The sound of voices came from the lower hall. As the words became audible with the approach of the speaker, Anna caught what was said, and shrank back. She was entirely out of sight when the corner, Dr. Penfield, and his assistant, followed by Detective Barlow, reached the second floor and went immediately into Commodore Whitney's study and closed the door.

Anna emerged from her post among the brooms in the maid's closet in time to encounter the man she had been expecting, as he mounted the staircase. "Mister Rudy, ah," she exclaimed, softly. "Your ma's in her room waitin' fo' yo'." and Anna beat a quick retreat to the regions below.

Mrs. Ruggles turned as the door of her bedroom opened and her face lightened with relief.

"Rudolph, my dear boy, thank heaven you have come!" and springing up she embraced her son with unwonted tenderness. "Let me help you with your overcoat."

"Nonsense, mother, don't trouble," and young Ruggles gently pushed her back in her seat. It took but an instant to dress himself of his overcoat, which he laid neatly on the couch and then drew up a chair by his mother's side. "The news of the Commodore's death bowled me over—it's ghastly, mother. There, I didn't mean to make you cry."

"I can't help myself," gasped his mother. "Oh, Rudy, it's something dreadful." Mrs. Ruggles seldom used the

old childish nickname, preferring always the more stately Rudolph. His name was one of the minor tribulations of young Ruggles' life, his greatest tragedy being that he was a hunchback.

Ruggles reached over and stroked his mother's hair. "Tell me all about it," he begged sympathetically, "that is, if you feel equal to it."

It was some moments before she could control her voice sufficient to reply. "My note gave you the few details that I know," she explained. "Mose found the Commodore this morning lying in the library, stabbed to death. Oh, why was I not here last night? It might never have happened," and she wrung her hands in impotent grief.

"Beg pardon," the words came from the direction of the door and Mrs. Ruggles twisted about in her chair with a violent start. Paul Barlow was regarding her apologetically on the threshold, one hand still on the knob of the door. "I knocked and understood you to say 'come in.'"

"Pray do so," Mrs. Ruggles's voice and manner expressed cordiality itself. "My son—Detective Barlow—then as the two men shook hands, she added: "Draw up a chair, Mr. Barlow. Did Anna give you my message?"

"Yes," As Barlow shifted the bedroom door he took quiet note of the brass night-latch chain attached to the inside of the door jamb. Without comment, he accepted the chair young Ruggles placed for him and waited until the hunchback had resumed his seat before addressing Mrs. Ruggles. "The maid told the policeman, O'Rourke, that you wished to see me before I left the house, and so—"

"I am delighted that you are here," declared Mrs. Ruggles, with emphasis. "Suspense is unendurable," she faltered. "Please tell me the result of the autopsy."

Barlow crossed his legs and leaned back in his chair. The corner and Dr. Conrad found that Commodore Whitney was stabbed through the heart," he stated slowly. "From the nature of the wound death must have been instantaneous."

Mrs. Ruggles covered her eyes with her hands. "Frightful," she stammered. "Frightful!"

There was silence for a minute and Barlow transferred his gaze from Mrs. Ruggles to her son. The detective judged him to be between twenty-three and twenty-five years of age. His light hair, worn in the fashion of the hour, presented a tendency to curl at the edges, a tendency checked elsewhere by plentiful applications of "slickum," his eyes, wide apart under a broad brow, were very like his mother's, only a shade deeper blue; and the budding mustache adorned, but did not cover, a large and prominent mouth. It was a face which Barlow found worth studying. Ruggles dressed with fastidious taste and his misshapen back was a noticeable feature owing to the careful measurements of an expert tailor.

"Mrs. Ruggles," She started at the detective's sudden pronouncement of her name. "How long have you been an inmate of Commodore Whitney's household?"

She paused to consider. "A year and a day," she replied. "To be exact, I came here on December 31, 1923, when Commodore Whitney was still in Europe."

"In Europe?" Barlow looked at her with lively interest. "Then how—"

"Did he come to engage me as his housekeeper?" she asked. "The Commodore had decided to open his Washington home and he learned of me from a mutual friend and offered me the position. I came to Washington, took over the house from Mr. Edward Terry, Senior, who had charge of all Commodore Whitney's financial and legal affairs, and awaited the Commodore's return."

"And when did he reach here?" asked Barlow, as she paused.

"Last October," briefly. Then she added, "On the eve of sailing the first week of January, a year ago, the Commodore was taken ill while in Paris with a serious attack of inflammatory rheumatism. As he grew better the physicians advised him to take a treatment at Carlsbad, which he did and postponed his return until the following Fall."

"Then you lived here in the house fully nine months before the Commodore arrived?" questioned Barlow; he had taken out a small memorandum pad and was jotting down some notes.

"Yes, about that length of time," Mrs. Ruggles twisted her handkerchief in and out of her fingers. It was a nervous habit she had. Barlow eyed her speculatively.

"Were you not afraid to stay alone in this large house?" he inquired.

"Oh, I was not alone," explained

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BURT-SMITH—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on October 24, to the wife of John Burt-Smith, a daughter.

DONAGHY—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaghy, 2205 Bayview Avenue, on Oct. 23, a son, at the Jubilee Hospital.

DOUGLAS—At Hongkong, China, on Oct. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Douglas, a son.

VOICHER—On Oct. 24, to Major and Mrs. L. M. Hughes of Quebec, India, a son.

WEBSTER—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webster, 1224 Haulian Street, on Oct. 23, a son, at the Jubilee Hospital.

DIED

WELER—At the residence, 737 Transit Road, Oak Bay, on Oct. 25, 1927, Charles Weller, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Weller, aged 70 years, and born in California. The deceased had been a resident of Victoria since the year 1861, and is survived by his widow, one brother, Mr. Otto Weller, a nephew and two nieces. He was a member of the R. C. of P. Lodge.

The funeral will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, on Thursday, October 27, at 2 p.m., where service will be conducted. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

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Hamsterley Lakeside, 9.15. P.H.'s or-
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BRITISH Empire Service League, Prince
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Tickets 50c, available at the door. 5142-11-101

C.P.R. Social Club dance, Empress Hotel,
Oct. 26, 8.30 to 11.30. Orchestra. 5290-4-100
50 cents

DANCE, Strawberry Vale Hall, Wednesday,
Oct. 26, 8.30 to 12.30. Columbian's 5-piece
orchestra. Admission 50c. 5298-3-99

AMAZON country dance tea and Saturday
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Hamsterley Lakeside through installation
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Saturday, October 29. Augmented orchestra.
Imported novelties. Fire balloons. Come to
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HALLOWEEN dance, Friday, Oct. 28, at
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55c. 7079-4-100

HALLOWEEN masquerade dance, Friday,
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GREASE RACK SERVICE
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High location, near school and park and within fifteen minutes' walk of the city. Brand new stucco bungalow, strictly modern, living-room and dining-room have hardwood floors. Dutch kitchen, two bedrooms downstairs and one upstairs, bathroom and basement.

NOTE—Exceptionally easy terms can be arranged for a responsible purchaser.

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SITUATED on one of the best residential streets, close to car line and close to beach and golf links. NEW FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW containing vestibule, drawing-room with tiled fireplace, French doors to attractive dining-room, very well appointed Dutch kitchen, two nice bedrooms and bathroom.

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PRICE \$15,750

Owner would consider selling furniture at a valuation and would give early possession.

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String Beans, 3 lbs. for\$4
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615 Courtney Street
PHONE 846

Customs Sale

BY PUBLIC AUCTION

To be sold by Public Auction under the provisions of the Customs Act at the Customs Examining Warehouse, corner Broadway and Victoria Streets, Victoria, B.C., on October 28, 1927, at 2.30 p.m., the following goods which have been forfeited under the Customs laws, viz:

1 Gramophone
And a quantity of Gramophones

Goods to be seen at Customs Examining Warehouse, corner Broadway and Langley Streets, Victoria. To be sold in separate lots. Condition "AS IS."

TERMS CASH

G. E. MORRIS,
Assistant Inspector of Customs and Excise.
Dated at Victoria, B.C., Oct. 24, 1927.

NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

Voters' List, 1928

ALL PERSONS other than PROPERTY OWNERS, who are entitled to have their names placed on the Municipal Voters' List MUST, during the current month make the declarations required by the Municipal Elections Act.

Declarations can be made before the Municipal Clerk, from whom forms may be obtained. For the convenience of those unable to attend during office hours the Municipal Hall will be open on Saturday, October 29, from 2 p.m. till 5 p.m. No declaration can be made or accepted after 5 p.m. on Monday, October 31, 1927.

G. H. PULLEN,
Municipal Clerk.

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

R.S.C. Chapter 115

Daniel Box Company Limited hereby gives notice that it has, under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry of Victoria at Victoria, British Columbia, a description of the site and the plans of a box factory proposed to be built in the Public Harbor of Victoria in front of Lot 7, Block M, Map 16, Victoria.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice Daniel Box Company Limited will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to construct the said box factory.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 10th day of October, 1927.

DANIEL BOX COMPANY LIMITED,

LOOK AT THIS!

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE

ON BLANSHARD STREET, a few minutes' walk from the Hudson's Bay store. Contains living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, four bedrooms, pantry and bathroom.

LOT 56113 TO LANE
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This place is a real bargain at ONLY \$950

Terms, \$200 cash, balance 120 per month, with interest at the rate of 7 1/2 per annum. A little paint and new repairs will make this a comfortable home for a workman with limited means.

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1210 Broad Street

Kamloops Netted Gems, sack2.10
Artichokes, Globe, each2.50
Brussels, each2.50
Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. for2.50
New Carrots, each2.50
Celery, each2.50
Cucumbers, each2.50
Cabbages, each2.50
Beets, 3 bunches2.50
Carrots, 3 lbs. for2.50
Turnips, 3 lbs. for2.50
Cauliflower, per lb.2.50
Onions, 5 lbs.2.50
Netted Gem Potatoes, 10 lbs.2.50

Wholesale Market

Meat
No. 1 Steer Beef14 1/2
Cow Beef13 1/2
Veal Lamb12 1/2
Spring Lamb12 1/2
Mutton12 1/2
Oxen12 1/2
Poultry
Fowls24 to 28
Chickens23 to 27
Broilers23 to 27

Eggs
Fresh extra, case lots, dozen55
Fresh firsts, case lots, dozen53
Fresh pullets, case lots, dozen46
Butter
Best cartons43
No. 2 grade41
Solids, creamery42

Cheese
B.C. solids25 1/2
B.C. twins26
B.C. triplets26 1/2
Ontario solids, June28 1/2
Ontario solids, July29
Ontario solids, Aug.30

Lard
Tierces18
Other sizes19 to 20 1/2
Compound tierces, lb.19 1/2
Other compounds19 1/2 to 19 3/4
Hams and Bacon
Hams23 to 25
Bacon26 to 28

Vegetables
Artichokes, Globe, doz.2.00
Cauliflower, doz.2.50
Cauliflower, doz.2.50
Celery, doz.2.50
Lettuce, Cal. crate4.00
Peppers, green, lb.1.12
Peppers, red, lb.1.12
Tomatoes, hot-house, No. 13.00
Tomatoes, hot-house, No. 22.50
Beets, sack1.50
Carrots, sack1.50
Parsnips, sack2.25
Turnips, sack1.50
Onions, Yakima Spanish, crt.3.50
Potatoes1.10 to 1.45

Fruit
Apples2.30 to 2.50
McIntosh Reds, orchard run1.55
Local1.00 to 2.00
Oranges4.00 to 5.25
Grapefruit, Cal.5.50 to 6.50
Lemons2.50 to 3.50
Grapes2.10 to 3.25
Pineapples2.00 to 3.00
Pears2.75 to 3.75
Pomeranians3.00

Live Poultry
Light Fowl15
Heavy Fowl19
Broilers, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 lbs.20 to 27
Chickens20 to 27

Butter
Best Alberta, cartons50
Comox, lb.55
V.I.M.P.A. lb.55
Cowichan Creamery, lb.55
Fresh Spring Island, lb.55
Handmade, lb.55
Our Own Brand, lb.55
Alberta Butter, bulk45

Cheese
B.C. fresh extras60
B.C. fresh firsts55
Pullets, extras54
B.C. fresh seconds50

Cheese
B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.45
B.C. solids, lb.45
Finest Ontario matured, per lb.40
Edam Ontario Cheese, per lb.40
Caud Cheese, per lb.40
Gorgonzola, per lb.45
Swiss Cheese, per lb.45
English Slices, lb.45
Imported Brie, per lb.45
Katie Brand Camembert, box54
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages75
Kraft, lb.75
Golden Leaf38

Fish
Fresh Cod, lb.15
Fresh Cod Fillets, per lb.23
Fresh Local Halibut, per lb.20
Young Salmon, lb.19
Hake, lb.19
Fresh Herrings, per lb.25
Fresh Shrimps, per lb.25
Eastern Pinnapples, per lb. 17 and 18
Fresh Crabapples, per lb.25
Local cured Black Cod25
Large Eastern Kippers19

Pork
Trimmed Loin, per lb.42
Loin, per lb.40
Shoulders, per lb.40
Pork Sausages, per lb.30
No. 1 Beef35
Sirloin Steak, per lb.35
Round Steak, per lb.35
Pot Roasts, per lb.35
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after their financial affairs. This should be an auspicious rule for signing contracts. Actors should take advantage of it. The new moon of this month brings good promise for trade and commerce. Temptation to speculate will be widespread.

Stock exchanges are likely to be extraordinary busy and sensational surges in stocks are foretold. Persons whose birthdate it is may expect letters telling of legacies of money gains.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Tin Alligator

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(By Howard R. Garle)

"Heigh ho!" said Uncle Wiggily one day as he hopped around the hollow stump bungalow on one leg and twiddled his pink nose. "It will soon

be Christmas. I think I'll go down the street and look in the store windows to see what sort of toys Santa Claus is going to have this year."

"Christmas!" exclaimed Mrs. Longears with a laugh. "That is a long way off yet—almost two months!"

"Yes, I know," admitted Mr. Longears. "But it is best to do your Christmas shopping early and I'm going to have a look, anyhow. You know we have forty-seven little bunnies for whom Santa Claus must make presents and it is well to let him know as soon as we can what kind to make. By looking in the store windows and perhaps going inside to hop about I can see what there is."

"Perhaps you are right," agreed Mrs. Longears. "And we must not forget Baby Buntina. 'She must have some Christmas presents, too.'"

"Of course," chuckled Mr. Longears. "I'll be right back."

"Hello, Uncle Wiggily!" barked the dog gentleman. "Have you come to my store to buy Christmas presents so early?"

"Well, I am not exactly going to buy now," answered the rabbit gentleman. "I am sort of looking around to see what you have. I shall need many presents for my forty-seven little rabbits you know."

"If I should think so!" barked the dog. "Well, look at all the presents we have. You will surely find some among them that will suit any little boy or girl rabbit, or even a pussy cat or a duck dog squirrel."

There were dolls, roller skates, horns, toy furniture, books, steam engines, fire engines, tinkling bells and many wonderful playthings being unpacked in the six and seven cent store.

"It is jolly good fun just to look around!" chuckled Uncle Wiggily. "When it comes time to do my real Christmas buying I'll bring my wife here and she and I will pick out the things we want to pay Santa Claus to leave at our bungalow. Yes, I'll look around and—"

All of a sudden Uncle Wiggily looked around behind him and on the floor he saw crawling toward him a green alligator. It was not so very large, but the rabbit gentleman knew that even baby alligators can bite hard, so as he saw this small green one open his mouth and waddle at him, the rabbit gentleman gave a shout and started to climb up on one of the counters.

"What's the matter, Uncle Wiggily?" barked the dog gentleman.

"The alligator is going to bite me!" cried Mr. Longears.

"Ha! Ha!" laughed the dog. "Don't be afraid of him! He is only a toy tin alligator that moves when you wind

up a spring inside him. Here, I'll show you!" So the dog picked up the waddling alligator and truly enough, it was only a tin toy. Then a funny look came into Uncle Wiggily's eyes.

"I'll buy one of those tin alligators now," he said. "I don't care if it isn't Christmas. Let me have that one! So he bought the tin alligator and what he did with it you shall hear to-morrow night. The story will be about Uncle Wiggily's clever trick. And if you hope the sugar bowl doesn't turn upside down and spill all its sweetness in the accident cellar."

AGED PASTOR DIED

Montreal, Oct. 26.—Rev. Elisha Tennant, eighty-six, who was ordained a minister in the Methodist Church sixty-five years ago and who later served in the United Church of Canada, died here yesterday.

The Answer

BIRD
BEND
SEND
SEED

Here is one solution to the letter golf puzzle on page 15.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

THE ANSWERS

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNICK

HORIZONTAL

1. Who invented the system of printing and writing for the blind by which they are able to read by the touch system?
7. A judicial assembly.
11. What two letters stand for the phrase "here lies" (written as "hact hie")?
12. A second union.
13. Italian river.
15. Corded cloth.
16. What English officer was hung as a spy during the American revolution?
18. Possessive last.
19. Refuse matter left after pressing grapes.
21. What territory on the Malabar coast of India belongs to Portugal?
22. Inclination.
23. Yours plus mine.
25. Inert gaseous element.
27. Negative.
28. Sun dog.
29. Yellow Hawaiian bird.
30. What two letters after a date signify that that date precedes the 1927 years of our present calendar?
31. Color.

VERTICAL

1. What is the latest city in Alabama?
2. To what class of animals does the American otter belong?
3. What is the abbreviation for "Ireland"?
4. Meadow.
5. What are the respiratory organs of air-breathing vertebrates?
6. What combining form means "within"?
7. Enemy.
8. Upon.
9. Above.
10. What was the name of the home of Thomas Jefferson?
11. What is the native name for Persia?
12. For used with "con."
13. Small tumor.
14. Who discovered radium?
15. Who founded the Salvation Army?
16. Hastened.
17. Bra.
18. To attempt.
19. Instrument.
20. To get up.<

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THE AIR

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

CFCT (415.9) Victoria, B.C.
6-8 p.m.—Orthophonic recital by courtesy of Cecil Heaton of Vancouver's Music Department.
7-9 p.m.—West Coast information service and weather reports.
8 p.m.—Studio presentation during which Joseph Ross will speak.
KFWI (267.7) San Francisco, Cal.
5-5:30 p.m.—Brunswick "New Hall of Fame" concert.
5:30-6 p.m.—Advance construction reports.
6-6:30 p.m.—Violet Williams, soprano; Alice Wilma Mett, violinist; Vivian Vaughan, acc.
6:30-7 p.m.—The Lemco Radio Boy.
7-7:15 p.m.—Sports review.
7:15-7:30 p.m.—E. S. Daniels.
8-8:30 p.m.—Madeline Evans, soprano; Glenhall Taylor, accompanist.
8:30-9 p.m.—Paul Harrison, tenor; Edgar L. Reinhold.
9-9:55 p.m.—Pioneer Sunset Tunnel Roosters Ralph Club Mayor dinner dance by remote control from Mark Hopkins Hotel.
9:55-10 p.m.—Police reports.
10-11 a.m.—Val Valente and his "Weird Jungle Jazz" from Jungle Town.
KXK (229.9) Portland, Ore.
5:30-6:30 p.m.—"Our Gang," Sperry Flour.
6:30-7 p.m.—Sports, stock, reports.
7-8 p.m.—Neapolitan concert trio.
8-9 p.m.—Organ concert.
9 p.m.—Weather report.
KFI (465.3) Los Angeles, Cal.
5:30 p.m.—Sebastian's Cotton Club orchestra.
6-6:15 p.m.—Dr. H. Edward Meyer.
6:15-6:30 p.m.—Dance Sisters.
6:30 p.m.—Dick Harris detective stories and talks.
8 p.m.—Calnet concert orchestra.
9 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
10 p.m.—Irene Dalton, Virginia McCoy and Edward Jordan.
KPLA (532) Los Angeles, Cal.
5-6 p.m.—Sunday frolic.
6-6:45 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.
6:45-7 p.m.—Sports review.
7-7:30 p.m.—Dean McCusker and his Oregon Aggravators and other KPLA artists.
8-8:30 p.m.—Charlie Hamp.
8:30-9:15 p.m.—Billy Barron and Susar Harrold Dierke Decker.
9:15-10 p.m.—Carmelito Verdugo; Rolf Valencia.
10-11 p.m.—Palais de Dance.
KLX (508) Oakland, Cal.
5-5:30 p.m.—Martha Lee.
5:30-6:30 p.m.—Brother Bob.
6:30-7 p.m.—Dinner concert by courtesy of George Gampe Co.
7-7:30 p.m.—Amusement information.
8-9 p.m.—Educational programme.
9-10 p.m.—Special programme.
KTY (288.3) Oakland, Cal.
5-6 p.m.—"Who's Who" hour.
6-6:45 p.m.—Musical programme.
6:45-7:30 p.m.—Shopping hour.
8-10 p.m.—Programme through the courtesy of the California Creamatorium. Trillium, Edna Martin, piano; Mildred Wright, violin; Mary Sherwood, cello, assisted by Maria Roman, soprano; Rabbi Rudolph Coffer, on the "Religion of Roosevelt"; Bernard C. Russells on "The Strenuous Roosevelt"; and Dr. Harold Bryan on "Roosevelt as a Naturalist."
KFPC (725) Pasadena, Cal.
6-6:45 p.m.—Tower chimes and announcements.
7 p.m.—Dr. Raymond C. Brooks lectures on "The Contribution of Science to Religion."
KYRB (282.5) Portland, Ore.
6-6:30 p.m.—Dinner concert.
6:30-7 p.m.—Stock, grain and road reports.
7-7:30 p.m.—Musical programme.
7:30-8 p.m.—Popular programme.
8-10 p.m.—Dance music.
KSA (177.5) Seattle, Wash.
6:30-7 p.m.—Theatre resume.
7-7:30 p.m.—Big Sister Alice and Aunt Mabel.
KQW (298.9) San Jose, Cal.
5-5:30 p.m.—Children's hour.
5:30-6 p.m.—Studio programme.
6-6:30 p.m.—Home economics period.
6:30-7 p.m.—T.S.D.A. features a musical flash, Farm Radio School and Farmers Exchange.
7-7:30 p.m.—Weather, markets.
7:30-8 p.m.—Farm topics, mail box, special editorial and riddles.
8-8:30 p.m.—Services, First Baptist Church.
KOMO (286) Seattle, Wash.
5:15-5:45 p.m.—Richardson Bros. kiddie programme.
5:45-6 p.m.—Stock and bond quotations.
6-6:45 p.m.—Totum concert orchestra.
6:45-7 p.m.—Fred Lynch, tenor.
7-7:30 p.m.—Superior Portland Cement, Inc.
7:30-8 p.m.—Fisher Flouring Mills Co.
8-9 p.m.—Preston Mill Company.
9-10 p.m.—B.C. programme.
10-10:15 p.m.—Chester's, Inc.
10:15-10:30 p.m.—Fisher Flouring Mills Co.
10:30-11 p.m.—Mac and his gang.
11-11:30 p.m.—Metropolitan National Bank.
11:30-12 p.m.—Edridge Buick Co.
12 p.m.—12:30 a.m.—Preston Sound Power and Light Co.
KFO (422.3) San Francisco, Cal.
5-6 p.m.—Children's hour.
6-6:30 p.m.—Yvonne Greyer service.
6:30-7 p.m.—Organ recital.
7-7:30 p.m.—Studio programme.
8-9 p.m.—Programme by Alwater Kent artists.
9-10 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
10-11 p.m.—Palace Hotel Rose Room dance orchestra.
KRON (241.8) Long Beach, Cal.
6-6:45 p.m.—Dance and Clarence.
6:45-7 p.m.—Pizzly Wistly concert orchestra.
7-8 p.m.—Novelty programme.
8-8:10 p.m.—Municipal band.
8:10-9 p.m.—Municipal band.
9-10 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-11 p.m.—Organ recital.
11-12 p.m.—Pacific Coast Club orchestra.
KFRC (413.3) San Francisco, Cal.
6-6:30 p.m.—Mac and his gang.
6:30-6:45 p.m.—Stage and screen and police reports.
6:45-7 p.m.—Western Motors presents the Cecilans.
7-7:30 p.m.—Golden Gate Ferry Co. presents the Cecilans.
8-9 p.m.—Maxwell House Coffee programme with Maxwell House Coffee orchestra. Lucille Albertson, Harriet, soprano, and Juanita Tennyson, contralto, in an opera concert.
9-10 p.m.—Real Estate Board Glee Club.
10-12 p.m.—Dance programme by Walter Krausnick's dance orchestra of the Balconade ballroom.
KNX (337) Los Angeles, Cal.
5 p.m.—Chet Millendorf.
6-6:45 p.m.—Amusement tips.
6:45-7 p.m.—Biltmore Hotel orchestra.
7-7:30 p.m.—Concert.
7:30 p.m.—Feature programme.
8-10 p.m.—Imogene Cowan.
10-11 p.m.—Feature programme.
11 p.m.—Hotel Ambassador orchestra.
KFOA (447.5) Seattle, Wash.
5:30-6:30 p.m.—Children's hour.
6:30-7:30 p.m.—Electrol Entertainers and the Master Furnace Man.
7:30-7:45 p.m.—Albers Bros. poultry talk to KQW.
8-9 p.m.—Mission Bell concert orchestra.
9-10 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
KYA (369.1) San Francisco, Cal.
6:30-7 p.m.—Golden Gate Oriole, George Earle and Wurlitzer Hawaiians.
7-7:30 p.m.—Talk.
7:15-7:25 p.m.—Talk.
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme with Henry and Esther Hamann; Alma Micheli, soprano and others.
9-10 p.m.—Second night meeting of the Tuesday Noon Club, presenting famous pilots and men interested in aviation.
10 p.m.—Correct time.
KGW (491) Portland, Ore.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner concert.
7-7:30 p.m.—Brown and White Taxi cab concert.
7:30-7:45 p.m.—Poultry talk from KFOA.
7:45-8 p.m.—Radio City Truth Society lecture.
8-9 p.m.—Concert orchestra.
9-10 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music from the Gold Room of the Multnomah Hotel, featuring Herman Koppin and his orchestra.
KVI (194.5) Tacoma, Wash.
6:15-6:30 p.m.—Brunswick dinner programme.
6:30-7:30 p.m.—Dinner hour concert.
7:30-8 p.m.—Yosi Alpha, the answer man.
8-8:30 p.m.—Studio programme.

Pender Island

Pender Island, Oct. 26.—Mrs. J. A. Brackett has been enjoying a holiday with relatives in Vancouver and New Westminster.
M. J. Little of Victoria was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Menzies last week.
E. Pollard has been a patient in hospital at Ganges since last Monday with a poisoned hand.
Edmund Cartmell of Port Washington, who has been a patient also at Ganges for the past three months with a badly fractured thigh, is now convalescent and hopes to be home soon.

James Hamilton of the B.C. Coast Service is spending a holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hamilton, at "The Knolls."
Capt. Alex. Brackett came home for a couple of days last week on his tug, the Joker B.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Scott of Port Washington are leaving shortly for a visit with relatives in England.

Miss Hampshire, who assisted Spencer Percival at Sunnyside Ranch two years ago, has returned from an extended trip abroad and, with her mother, will occupy the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott during their absence.

Rev. and Mrs. MacNaughton, who have been taking charge of the home of the United Church services on Pender and Salt Spring Islands during the past three weeks, expect to be stationed here until June, when it is likely that a permanent appointment will be made.

The Parent-Teacher Association met last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Menzies. The president, Mrs. W. B. Johnston, occupied the chair, the meeting opening with the singing of "O Canada." The first hour was devoted to business, the second to the topic of the evening, and concluding with a social half-hour. Mrs. R. S. W. Corbett gave a most appreciated talk on the "Cultivation of Truthfulness in Children," which was followed by a friendly discussion of individual problems of this nature.

There was a good attendance, the secretary, Miss Noble, calling the roll, and also submitting the treasurer's report in the absence of Miss MacIntyre. A community hall was masquerade for old and young is being planned for next Monday evening. The travelling school library is being much used and appreciated by the pupils. A resolution was unanimously adopted favoring a "clean-up" of certain features of the comic sections of the daily newspapers, which are considered deleterious to the moral and educational well-being of children. A copy of this will be sent to headquarters. On invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Fry, the November meeting will be held at their home, the main feature being a debate on "Resolved: That Corporal Punishment is Beneficial." Mrs. J. S. Stiggins will handle the affirmative, while the negative will be in the hands of Mr. R. S. W. Corbett, and each will be ably supported.
The meeting closed with the National Anthem and the serving of refreshments by the hostess, to whom a vote of thanks was extended.

Langford

Langford, Oct. 26.—The choir practice this week will be held at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. The vicar, Rev. H. B. Allen, requests that children as well as adults will attend to increase the membership of the choir.

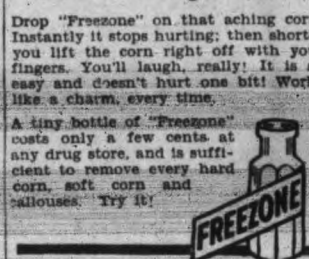


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The visit of the Mining Congress as well as the Dominion Board of Trade to the West during September has tended to further emphasize the potential natural resources as well as draw attention to the possibilities of trade expansion and Western production of manufacturing articles, says a report of the industrial outlook of Western Canada by John Sweeting, industrial agent C.P.R., received by the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.
"There has been a steady flow of investigation," continues the report, "with various possible developments, examinations of possible markets looking to the furtherance of Western industrial activities."
"There is undoubtedly a continuous effort being made throughout the West to place industry of all kinds on the very best economic basis both in regard to class of products and method of production that should ensure a continuance of satisfactory outturn from year to year, and stabilize the situation generally."
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Sidney

Sidney, Oct. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Herber, who have been on an extended visit to relatives and friends in England, returned to Victoria last Thursday, where they will remain for a short time while having their home renovated at Thomas Crossing.

Anyone desiring dainties or novelties for Christmas will be able to obtain just what they want by attending the sale of the Junior W.A., to be held in Wesley Hall on Friday, October 28, from 3 to 5. There will be stalls of aprons, candy, fancywork and novelties and a fish pond that will delight the children. A silver tea and dainty refreshments will be served during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gilman returned to their home on Amelia Avenue after a week-end motor trip to Ladysmith, where they visited old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harrison, having rented their property on the East Road, moved into their home on Fifth Street, where they will in future reside.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Neil, who for some years occupied a home on Fifth Street, have moved to Queen's Avenue, and taken up their residence, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. R. Thomas.

The North Saanich Social Club will hold their club hall on Monday, November 7, at 8 o'clock, a children's fancy dress concert and play. The play will be entitled "The Magic Fan." This promises to be very fascinating and popular.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond, who have recently moved to Sidney, gave a house warming at their home on Third Street on Saturday evening, when bridge, games and dancing were greatly enjoyed during the evening. At about midnight, dainty refreshments were served. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Northington, Jack and Jim Northington, Miss Eva Northington, Mrs. Davis, Miss Gladys

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